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In the Superior Court

Of County of Nevada

State of California.

Affidavit of Insanity.

In the Matter of John Doe alias "Jesus Christ", an Alleged Insane Person.

State of California,
COUNTY OF Nevada } ss.

C. W. Long, being duly sworn, deposes and says that there is now in said county, in the city or town of Truckee, a person named John Doe alias Jesus Christ, who is insane, and is so far disordered in mind as to endanger his or her health and person, or to endanger or cause the destruction of the property of himself or herself, or of others, or to endanger the lives of other persons, and that he, at Truckee in said county, on the 24th day of April 190.2, ~~threatened and attempted~~ (state actions, etc.)

~~He~~ stated that he was Jesus Crist, and was looking for an officer to protect him from the people whom he thought were going to crucify him

That, by reason of said insanity, said person is dangerous to be at large.

WHEREFORE, affiant prays that such action may be had as the law requires in the cases of persons who are so far disordered in mind as to endanger health, person, and property.

C. W. Long

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 29th day of April 190.2

F. J. Nilon
Judge of the Superior Court.

Order of Arrest.

In the Superior Court, County of Nevada, State of California.

IN THE MATTER OF

John Doe alias Jesus Christ
AN ALLEGED INSANE PERSON.

The People of the State of California, to any Sheriff, Constable, Marshal, Policeman, or Peace Officer in this State:

The affidavit of C. W. Long, having been presented this day to me, F. J. Nilon, Judge of the Superior Court in and for the ~~Truckee~~ Township, County of Nevada State of California, from which it appears that there is now in this county, at Nevada City, a person by the name of John Doe alias Jesus Christ, who is insane, and who is so disordered in mind as to endanger his own health, person, and property (or the person, lives, and property of others), and that it is dangerous for said person to be at large;

And it satisfactorily appearing to me that said John Doe alias Jesus Christ is insane, and so far disordered in his mind as to endanger health, person, and property.

NOW, THEREFORE, you are commanded forthwith to arrest the above named person, and take ~~him~~ before a Judge of the Superior Court of the said County of Nevada, for an examination on said charge of insanity;

And I hereby direct that a copy of this warrant, together with a copy of said affidavit, be delivered to said John Doe alias Jesus Christ at the time of his arrest; and I further direct that this warrant may be served at any hour of the night.

WITNESS my hand, this 29th day of April, 190.2

F. J. Nilon
Judge of the Superior Court,
Nevada Co., Cal.

I hereby certify that I received the above warrant of arrest on the 29th day of April, 1902., and served the said warrant by arresting the said John Doe (alias) Jesus Christ, alleged to be insane, and bringing him before F. J. Nelon, Judge of the Superior Court of said County of Nevada, on the 29th day of April, 1902; and I further certify that I delivered a copy of said warrant of arrest, together with a copy of the affidavit of insanity, as directed in said warrant, personally to said John Doe (alias) "Jesus Christ", at the time of the arrest.

D B Getchell Sheriff
Nevada County Cal.
By T H Waters Deputy sheriff

Order Fixing Time for Hearing.

In the Superior Court, County of Nevada, State of California.

In the Matter of the Alleged Insanity of
John Doe alias Jesus Christ

The above named John Doe alias Jesus Christ, having been brought before me under a warrant of arrest, charged with being insane, it is hereby ordered that said John Doe alias Jesus Christ appear before me on the 29th day of April, 1902., at three o'clock, P.M., for an examination and hearing on said charge, and that he be committed to the custody of the Sheriff of said County of Nevada

until said examination and hearing is had.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be personally served on said John Doe alias Jesus Christ before said examination and hearing.

Dated this 29th day of April, 1902.

F. J. Nelon
Judge of the Superior Court.

State of California,
COUNTY OF Nevada } ss.

I hereby certify that I received the within order for hearing on the 29th day of April, 1902. and served the same on John Doe alias Jesus Christ, the alleged insane person named therein, at Nevada City, County of Nevada, State of California, on the 29th day of April, 1902., by delivering to said, John Doe alias Jesus Christ personally, a copy of said order for hearing. And I further certify that said alleged insane person is now in the care and custody of the Sheriff of said County of Nevada

Dated April 29, 1902.

D B Getchell Sheriff Nevada Co Cal
By T H Waters Deputy sheriff

Exhibit "A."

Medical examination of ....., charged with insanity. Must be filled out by two reputable physicians, graduates in medicine, who should answer every question as fully as possible.

State of California,
COUNTY OF Nevada } ss.

Statement of Facts.

1. Name, John Doe alias Jesus Christ alleged insane person, resides at ..... County of Nevada; Age, Says 1902 years; Nativity, Ohio U-S.; If foreign born, how long in United States, —; How long in California, 10 yrs; Sex, Male; Place from which he came to this State, Wadsworth, Nevada; Color, White; Occupation, Laborer. Religious belief, Says he has none (Theosophy); Education—~~illiterate~~, ~~reads only~~, common school, ~~academic~~, collegiate, ~~or unknown~~. (*Strike out words not required.*) Civil condition—~~single~~, ~~married~~, ~~widowed~~, ~~divorced~~. (*Strike out words not required.*) If female and married, give maiden name, —; Give maiden name of mother, Says Virgin Mary; Number of children: Living, —; Dead, —

2. Has either parent been addicted to the use of opium, cocaine, tobacco, or alcoholic beverages to excess, or other stimulating narcotics? Do not know.

3. Have any relatives been eccentric or peculiar in any way in their habits or pursuits? Do not know If so, how? —

Have any relatives, direct or collateral, suffered, or are they suffering, from any form of chronic disease, such as consumption or tuberculosis, syphilis, rheumatism, neuralgia, hysteria, or nervousness, or had epilepsy or falling sickness? Do not know.

4. Which parent does alleged insane person resemble mentally, Do not know Physically Do not know. Habits (cleanly or uncleanly), Cleanly

(*a*) What degree of intelligence does he possess in comparison with other members of the family? Do not know

(*b*) Has alleged insane person normally any eccentricity or peculiarity in manner, speech or action? Do not know

(*c*) Has alleged insane person ever been addicted to masturbation or sexual excesses? Do not know If so, for how long? —

(*d*) Has alleged insane person ever had convulsions? Do not know If so, when did he have the first one? — —. When the last one? — —

(*e*) Had alleged insane person any severe disease, accompanied by prolonged high temperature or convulsions, during the first two years of life, or afterwards? Do not know

(*f*) State alleged insane person's habits as to use of liquor, tobacco, opium, or other drugs, and whether excessive or moderate? Do not know

(*g*) What is alleged insane person's natural disposition or temperament, and mental capacity? Do not know

5. Has alleged insane person insane relatives? Do not know If so, state the degree of consanguinity and whether paternal or maternal, — —

6. Has alleged insane person any peculiarities of temper or disposition, making him different from other members of the family? Do not know

7. What is alleged insane person's general physical condition? Good.

8. Specify any disease of which alleged insane person has suffered, or does suffer, or any injury received, Know of none.

9. Has alleged insane person ever been an inmate of an institution for the insane? Do not know If so, state when, —

Where, —. How long an inmate, —

Whether discharged recovered, or otherwise, —

(*a*) Number of previous attacks, —

(*b*) Dates of previous attacks, —

(*c*) Length of time each previous attack lasted, —

10. Present attack began, Do not know.

(*a*) Was the present attack gradual or rapid in its onset? Do not know

(*b*) When was any change in his habits, conversation, or mode of living first noticed? In Socorro, New Mex. Co. Several days ago.

(*c*) Give progress of development of the disease from the date of first manifestation to present time. Stationary

11. Is alleged insane person noisy, restless, violent, dangerous, destructive, incendiary, excited or depressed, homicidal or suicidal? (If either homicide or suicide has been attempted or threatened, it should be so stated.) No.

12. Age when menses appeared, —

(*a*) Amount and character before insanity appeared, —

(*b*) Since insanity appeared, —

(*c*) Has menstruation been painful? —. Is it now painful? —

13. Has the change of life taken place? —

(*a*) Was it gradual or sudden? —

(*b*) Give symptoms, —

(*c*) How changed from normal, -

14. Memory, - Good.

(*a*) Sleep,

(*b*) Headache or neuralgia,

(*c*) Constipation or indigestion, -

15. What is the supposed cause of insanity?—Predisposing, Do not know

Exciting, Do not know.

Facts indicating insanity, personally observed by me, as follows: The alleged insane person said (state what the alleged insane person said, if anything, in presence of the examiners):

Claims to be Jesus Christ. Has been twice crucified, That his mother is Virgin Mary

The alleged insane person (state what the alleged insane person did in presence of the examiners, and also describe his or her appearance and manner) Did nothing but answer questions and insist that he was Jesus Christ, & his mother Virgin Mary

Other facts indicating insanity, including those communicated to me by others, as follows: (State what, if any, significant change there has been in the alleged insane person's disposition, mental condition, business or social habits, or bodily health) —

Testimony of Witnesses

Illusions, None

Hallucinations (whether of sight, hearing, taste, or smell), None

Delusions (character of; are they fixed or changeable), Fixed. That he is Jesus Christ. His mother Virgin Mary.

What treatment has been pursued (state remedies given, and whether given hypodermically or not), —

Know of none.

Whether patient has been restrained by muff, belt or otherwise, No.

DIAGNOSIS, Monomania

Name and address of correspondent, None

Telegraphic address, —

Relationship of correspondent to alleged insane person, —

That the facts stated and information contained in this exhibit are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Dated Nevada City April 29th, 1902.

Geo L Meade, M. D.

C. Jamison, M. D.

Physician's Certificate of Insanity.

In the Superior Court, State of California, in and for the County of Nevada.

C. L. Mueller, and

E. Jamieson, being duly sworn, depose and say, and certify, each for himself, and not one for the other, that he is a graduate in medicine; that at the request and in the presence of the Hon. F. T. Wilson Judge of the Superior Court in and for the State of California, County of Nevada, he has heard the testimony, and carefully and personally examined the said John Doe alias Jesus Christ, in reference to the charge of insanity, in the manner and with the results set forth in the medical examination hereto annexed and marked Exhibit "A", and made a part hereof; and finds that said John Doe is insane, and is so far disordered in his mind as to endanger health, life, person, or property, and that the condition of said John Doe alias Jesus Christ is such as to require care and treatment in a hospital or asylum for the care, custody, and treatment of the insane; that said testimony was taken in the presence of said insane person; that the insanity of said John Doe alias Jesus Christ is not a case of idiocy, imbecility, simple feebleness of mind, a case of acute mania a potu, of harmless chronic mental unsoundness, or of epilepsy.

We recommend that said John Doe alias Jesus Christ be confined in a hospital or asylum for the care, custody, and treatment of the insane.

C. L. Mueller, M. D.

E. Jamieson, M. D.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 29th day of April, 1902

F. L. Archogast, Clerk

By A. J. Hosking Deputy Clerk

Judgment of Insanity and Commitment of Insane Person.

In the Superior Court, State of California, in and for the County of Nevada

IN THE MATTER

—OF—

John Doe alias Jesus Christ

AN ALLEGED INSANE PERSON.

John Doe alias Jesus Christ, the person named in the foregoing affidavit, being this day brought before me, Judge of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada for a hearing and examination on a charge of insanity as set forth in the said affidavit or complaint, and a warrant of arrest and notice of said charge of insanity having been duly, regularly, and personally served on him, the said John Doe alias Jesus Christ, and said John Doe alias Jesus Christ having been acquainted by me with the nature of said charge, and of his right to a hearing on said charge, and of his right to have witnesses subpœnaed to appear and testify on his behalf, and of his right to be represented by counsel, and either in person or by attorney to examine or cross-examine witnesses at said hearing, and of his right to demand a trial by jury on said charge, and notice of the time and place of said hearing having been duly given to said John Doe alias Jesus Christ, and said John Doe having been present at said hearing, held in open Court, no jury having been demanded by said John Doe, or on his behalf by any person (~~and before a jury demanded by or on behalf of said _____ _____ _____, and duly impaneled and sworn to try said _____ _____ _____ on said charge of insanity~~), and John Doe alias Jesus Christ,

C. W. Long and Geo. A. Bailey

having been duly sworn and testified as witnesses at said hearing, ~~including~~ the two last named being witnesses who have been acquainted with said John Doe during the time of his alleged insanity, and the physicians whose certificate that said John Doe alias Jesus Christ is insane is hereto attached and marked Exhibit "A," and said testimony of the witnesses having been taken in the presence of said John Doe alias Jesus Christ and of the examing physicians whose certificate that said John Doe alias Jesus Christ is insane is hereto attached (~~and said jury having found said _____ to be insane~~), and being further satisfied of the truth of all the matters set forth in said physicians' certificate, and that John Doe alias Jesus Christ is insane, and that it is dangerous to life, health, person, and property for said John Doe alias Jesus Christ to be at large, and that the condition of said person is such as to require care and treatment in a hospital or institution for the care, custody, and treatment of the insane,

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED, that said John Doe alias Jesus Christ is insane, and that he be committed to and confined in the Stockton State Hospital, or Asylum, for the insane, at Stockton, Cal.

I hereby direct that D. B. Getchell, Sheriff of the County of Nevada, take and convey said John Doe alias Jesus Christ to the State Hospital or Asylum at Stockton, Cal., to be held and confined therein as an insane person.

And I certify that ~~the sum of~~ no money ~~Dollars~~ was found on the person of said patient at the time of his arrest, ~~which the said Sheriff is ordered to deliver to the Medical Superintendent of said institution.~~

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said Superior Court this 29th day of April, 1902.

F. T. Nilon,
Judge of the Superior Court.

ATTEST:

F. L. Arbogast
Clerk of the Superior Court.

By A J Hosking, Deputy

State of Financial Ability.

As to the ability of said John Doe alias Jesus Christ to pay for his care and support at the hospital, I find on diligent inquiry that said John Doe is possessed of ~~real estate of the estimated value~~ of ~~situate in~~ no real or personal property, ~~and of the following description~~:

~~also the following described personal property~~:

~~That the income of said property is as follows~~:

That said John Doe is not able to pay ~~the sum of~~ any sum per month for his care and support at the Stockton State Hospital

Name and address of guardian ~~residing~~ Do not Know.

Or—

That said John Doe alias Jesus Christ has no *relatives ~~as follows~~: in this State so far as I can learn,

~~residing at~~

~~residing at~~

~~residing at~~

~~That said relatives are financially able to pay for the care and support of said at the hospital the sum of per month.~~

Dated April 29th, 1902.

F. T. Nilon
Judge of Superior Court.

* NOTE—Article III Section 6th, California Insanity Law, approved March 31, 1897: Liability for the care, support and treatment of the insane other than the poor and indigent; The father, mother, husband, wife or children of an insane person, if of sufficient ability, and the guardian of his person and estate, if his estate is sufficient for the purpose, shall cause him to be properly and suitably cared for and maintained.

In the Superior Court

Of ~~~~~ County of Nevada

State of California.

Affidavit of Insanity.

In the Matter of Mrs Adelia Stidger, an Alleged Insane Person.

State of California,
COUNTY OF Nevada } ss.

Mrs Kate Wood, being duly sworn, deposes and says that there is now in said county, in the city ~~or town~~ of Nevada, a person named Mrs Adelia Stidger, who is insane, and is so far disordered in mind as to endanger ~~his or~~ her health and person, or to endanger or cause the destruction of the property of ~~himself or~~ herself, or of others, or to endanger the lives of other persons, and that she, at French Corral in said county, on the 7th day of May, 1902., threatened and attempted (state actions, etc.) to break into affiants room and did then and there commit violence. She asks 30 or 40 times a day where Silver City is situated, and cannot remember for five minutes the answer given to her question.

That, by reason of said insanity, said person is dangerous to be at large.

WHEREFORE, affiant prays that such action may be had as the law requires in the cases of persons who are so far disordered in mind as to endanger health, person, and property.

Mrs Kate Wood.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 14th day of May 1902.

F. T. Nilon
Judge of the Superior Court

Order of Arrest.

In the Superior Court, County of Nevada, State of California.

IN THE MATTER OF
Mrs Adelia Stidger
AN ALLEGED INSANE PERSON.

The People of the State of California, to any Sheriff, Constable, Marshal, Policeman, or Peace Officer in this State:

The affidavit of Mrs Kate Wood, having been presented this day to me, F. T. Nilon, Judge of the Superior Court in and for the ~~~~~, County of Nevada, State of California, from which it appears that there is now in this county, at Nevada City, a person by the name of Mrs Adelia Stidger, who is insane, and who is so disordered in mind as to endanger her own health, person, and property (or the person, lives, and property of others), and that it is dangerous for said person to be at large;

And it satisfactorily appearing to me that said Mrs Adelia Stidger is insane, and so far disordered in her mind as to endanger health, person, and property.

NOW, THEREFORE, you are commanded forthwith to arrest the above named person, and take her before a Judge of the Superior Court of the said County of Nevada, for an examination on said charge of insanity;

And I hereby direct that a copy of this warrant, together with a copy of said affidavit, be delivered to said Mrs Adelia Stidger at the time of her arrest; and I further direct that this warrant may be served at any hour of the night.

WITNESS my hand, this 14th day of May, 1902

F. T. Nilon
Judge of the Superior Court.

I hereby certify that I received the above warrant of arrest on the 14th day of May, 1902, and served the said warrant by arresting the said Mrs Adelia Stidger, alleged to be insane, and bringing her before F. T. Nilon, Judge of the Superior Court of said County of Nevada, on the 14th day of May, 1902; and I further certify that I delivered a copy of said warrant of arrest, together with a copy of the affidavit of insanity, as directed in said warrant, personally to said Mrs Adelia Stidger, at the time of the arrest.

D B Getchell Sheriff of Nevada Co Calif
By T H Waters Deputy Sheriff

Order Fixing Time for Hearing.

In the Superior Court, County of Nevada, State of California.

In the Matter of the Alleged Insanity of
Mrs Adelia Stidger

The above named Mrs Adelia Stidger, having been brought before me under a warrant of arrest, charged with being insane, it is hereby ordered that said Mrs Adelia Stidger appear before me on the 15th day of May, 1902., at 9 o'clock, A M., for an examination and hearing on said charge, and that she be committed to the custody of the Sheriff of said Nevada County until said examination and hearing is had.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be personally served on said Mrs Adelia Stidger before said examination and hearing.

Dated this 14th day of May, 1902

F. T. Nilon
Judge of the Superior Court.

State of California,
COUNTY OF Nevada } ss.

I hereby certify that I received the within order for hearing on the 14th day of May, 1902 and served the same on Mrs Adelia Stidger, the alleged insane person named therein, at Nevada City, County of Nevada, State of California, on the 15th day of May, 1902., by delivering to said, Mrs Adelia Stidger personally, a copy of said order for hearing. And I further certify that said alleged insane person is now in the care and custody of the Sheriff of said County of Nevada.

Dated May 15, 1902

D B Getchell Sheriff Nevada Co Cal.
By T H Waters Deputy Sheriff

Exhibit "A."

Medical examination of Mrs Adelia Stidger, *charged with insanity. Must be filled out by two reputable physicians, graduates in medicine, who should answer every question as fully as possible.*

State of California,
COUNTY OF Nevada. } ss.

Statement of Facts.

1. Name, Mrs Adelia Stidger alleged insane person, resides at ~~French Corral~~ Nevada County of Nevada; Age, 73 years; Nativity, Ohio. U.S.A.; If foreign born, how long in United States, ——; How long in California, 53 yrs; Sex, Female; Place from which she came to this State, Cleveland Ohio.; Color, White; Occupation, ——— Religious belief, Episcopalian; Education—~~illiterate~~, ~~reads only~~, common school, ~~academic~~, ~~collegiate~~, or ~~unknown~~. (*Strike out words not required.*) Civil condition—~~single~~, ~~married~~, widowed, ~~divorced~~. (*Strike out words not required.*) If female and married, give maiden name, Adelia Thompson; Give maiden name of mother, ~~Dr Hiatt Simpson~~; Number of children: Living, 2; Dead, 1

2. Has either parent been addicted to the use of opium, cocaine, tobacco, or alcoholic beverages to excess, or other stimulating narcotics? no

3. Have any relatives been eccentric or peculiar in any way in their habits or pursuits? Yes. If so, how? Mother Eccentric, abusive, violent-temper

Have any relatives, direct or collateral, suffered, or are they suffering, from any form of chronic disease, such as consumption or tuberculosis, syphilis, rheumatism, neuralgia, hysteria, or nervousness, or had epilepsy or falling sickness? no

4. Which parent does alleged insane person resemble mentally, Mother Physically Mother. Habits (cleanly or uncleanly), cleanly

(*a*) What degree of intelligence does she possess in comparison with other members of the family? Very bright

(*b*) Has alleged insane person normally any eccentricity or peculiarity in manner, speech or action? No.

(*c*) Has alleged insane person ever been addicted to masturbation or sexual excesses? No. If so, for how long? —

(*d*) Has alleged insane person ever had convulsions? No. If so, when did she have the first one? —. When the last one? —

(*e*) Had alleged insane person any severe disease, accompanied by prolonged high temperature or convulsions, during the first two years of life, or afterwards? No

(*f*) State alleged insane person's habits as to use of liquor, tobacco, opium, or other drugs, and whether excessive or moderate? No

(*g*) What is alleged insane person's natural disposition or temperament, and mental capacity? Good

5. Has alleged insane person insane relatives? No If so, state the degree of consanguinity and whether paternal or maternal, —

6. Has alleged insane person any peculiarities of temper or disposition, making her different from other members of the family? No

7. What is alleged insane person's general physical condition? Good

8. Specify any disease of which alleged insane person has suffered, or does suffer, or any injury received, Hemorrhoids 5 yrs ago. operated on 5 yrs ago. when present trouble began

9. Has alleged insane person ever been an inmate of an institution for the insane? No. If so, state when, —

Where, —. How long an inmate, —

Whether discharged recovered, or otherwise, —

(*a*) Number of previous attacks, —

(*b*) Dates of previous attacks, —

(*c*) Length of time each previous attack lasted, —

10. Present attack began, 5 yrs ago

(*a*) Was the present attack gradual or rapid in its onset? Gradual

(*b*) When was any change in her habits, conversation, or mode of living first noticed? 5 yrs ago

(*c*) Give progress of development of the disease from the date of first manifestation to present time gradually increasing

11. Is alleged insane person noisy, restless, violent, dangerous, ~~destructive~~, incendiary, excited or depressed, ~~homicidal~~ or ~~suicidal?~~ (If either homicide or suicide has been attempted or threatened, it should be so stated.) restless during daytime Violent-excited when opposed. Has threatened to take poison. Threatens to burn house

12. Age when menses appeared, about 14 yrs

(*a*) Amount and character before insanity appeared, None

(*b*) Since insanity appeared, None

(*c*) Has menstruation been painful? No. Is it now painful? —

13. Has the change of life taken place? yes

(*a*) Was it gradual or sudden? Gradual

(*b*) Give symptoms, Sick in bed for several months

(*c*) How changed from normal, ———

14. Memory, Bad

(*a*) Sleep, Good

(*b*) Headache or neuralgia, No

(*c*) Constipation or indigestion, Constipation

15. What is the supposed cause of insanity?—Predisposing, Probably due to shock following operation for hemorrhoids. Operation very severe.

Exciting, Shock from operation.

Facts indicating insanity, personally observed by me, as follows: The alleged insane person said (state what the alleged insane person said, if anything, in presence of the examiners): Said nothing, answered question asked, can remember nothing. No recollection of events from day to day.

The alleged insane person (state what the alleged insane person did in presence of the examiners, and also describe his or her appearance and manner) Takes no interest in surroundings. Fails to recognize relatives.

Other facts indicating insanity, including those communicated to me by others, as follows: (State what, if any, significant change there has been in the alleged insane person's disposition, mental condition, business or social habits, or bodily health) ——— Has grown suspicious. Dislikes those she used to love most; displays violence. Very resistive, careless of dress, afraid of water

Illusions, None.

Hallucinations (whether of sight, hearing, taste, or smell), None

Delusions (character of; are they fixed or changeable), None

What treatment has been pursued (state remedies given, and whether given hypodermically or not), None

Whether patient has been restrained by muff, belt or otherwise, No

DIAGNOSIS, Dementia

Name and address of correspondent, Mrs F. M. Woods Truckee Conrad Nevada Co. Calif

Telegraphic address, ~~Mrs. Alex Dysart~~ Nevada Co Calif

Relationship of correspondent to alleged insane person, Daughter.

That the facts stated and information contained in this exhibit are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Dated Nevada City May 15th, 190.2

C. L. Muller, M. D.

E. Jamison, M. D.

Physician's Certificate of Insanity.

In the Superior Court, State of California, in and for the County of Nevada

C. L. Muller, and

E. Jamieson, being duly sworn, depose and say, and certify, each for himself, and not one for the other, that he is a graduate in medicine; that at the request and in the presence of the Hon. F. T. Nelson Judge of the Superior Court in and for the State of California, County of Nevada, he has heard the testimony, and carefully and personally examined the said Adelia Stidger, in reference to the charge of insanity, in the manner and with the results set forth in the medical examination hereto annexed and marked Exhibit "A", and made a part hereof; and finds that said Adelia Stidger is insane, and is so far disordered in her mind as to endanger health, life, person, or property, and that the condition of said Adelia Stidger is such as to require care and treatment in a hospital or asylum for the care, custody, and treatment of the insane; that said testimony was taken in the presence of said insane person; that the insanity of said Adelia Stidger is not a case of idiocy, imbecility, simple feebleness of mind, a case of acute mania a potu, of harmless chronic mental unsoundness, or of epilepsy.

We recommend that said Adelia Stidger be confined in a hospital or asylum for the care, custody, and treatment of the insane.

C. L. Muller, M. D.

E. Jamieson, M. D.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 15th day of May, 1902

F. L. Arbogast, Clerk

By A. J. Hosking, Deputy

Judgment of Insanity and Commitment of Insane Person.

In the Superior Court, State of California, in and for the County of Nevada.

IN THE MATTER

—OF—

Mrs Adelia Stidger

AN ALLEGED INSANE PERSON.

Mrs Adelia Stidger, the person named in the foregoing affidavit, being this day brought before me, Judge of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada for a hearing and examination on a charge of insanity as set forth in the said affidavit or complaint, and a warrant of arrest and notice of said charge of insanity having been duly, regularly, and personally served on her, the said Mrs Adelia Stidger, and said Mrs Adelia Stidger having been acquainted by me with the nature of said charge, and of her right to a hearing on said charge, and of her right to have witnesses subpœnaed to appear and testify on her behalf, and of her right to be represented by counsel, and either in person or by attorney to examine or cross-examine witnesses at said hearing, and of her right to demand a trial by jury on said charge, and notice of the time and place of said hearing having been duly given to said Mrs Adelia Stidger, and said Mrs Adelia Stidger having been present at said hearing, held in open Court, no jury having been demanded by said Mrs Adelia Stidger, or on her behalf by any person (~~and before a jury demanded by or on behalf of said _____, and duly impaneled and sworn to try said _____ on said charge of insanity~~), and Mrs Kate Wood

having been duly sworn and testified as a witness~~es~~ at said hearing, ~~including~~ _____

~~witnesses~~ who ~~have~~ has been acquainted with said Mrs Adelia Stidger during the time of her alleged insanity, and the physicians whose certificate that said Mrs Adelia Stidger is insane is hereto attached and marked Exhibit "A," and said testimony of the witnesses having been taken in the presence of said Mrs Adelia Stidger and of the examing physicians whose certificate that said Mrs Adelia Stidger is insane is hereto attached (~~and said jury having found said _____ to be insane~~), and being further satisfied of the truth of all the matters set forth in said physicians' certificate, and that Mrs Adelia Stidger _____ is insane, and that it is dangerous to life, health, person, and property for said Mrs Adelia Stidger to be at large, and that the condition of said person is such as to require care and treatment in a hospital or institution for the care, custody, and treatment of the insane,

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IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED, that said Mrs Adelia Stidger ~~~~~ is insane, and that she be committed to and confined in the Stockton State Hospital, or Asylum, for the insane, at Stockton, California.

I hereby direct that D. B. Getchell, Sheriff of the County of Nevada ~~~~~, take and convey said Mrs Adelia Stidger to the State Hospital or Asylum at Stockton, to be held and confined therein as an insane person.

And I certify that ~~the sum of~~ no money ~~Dollars~~ was found on the person of said patient at the time of ~~her~~ arrest, which the said Sheriff is ordered to deliver to the Medical Superintendent of said institution.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said Superior Court this 15th day of May, 1902.

F. T. Nilon
Judge of the Superior Court.

ATTEST:

F. L. Arbogast
Clerk of the Superior Court.

By A. J. Hosking

State of Financial Ability.

As to the ability of said Mrs Adelia Stidger to pay for ~~her~~ care and support at the hospital, I find on diligent inquiry that said Mrs Adelia Stidger is possessed of real estate of the estimated value of $50.00 situate in Silver City, Nevada, and of the following description:

On hill leading from Main Street

also the following described personal property: Nothing

That the income of said property is as follows: $6.00 per month from above real property.

That said Mrs Adelia Stidger is able to pay the sum of six dollars per month for ~~her~~ care and support at the Stockton State Hospital.

Name and address of guardian ~~residing~~

No guardian.

Or—

That said Mrs Adelia Stidger has *relatives as follows:

Mrs Kate Wood

residing at French Corral, Nevada Co., California.

~~residing~~ at

~~residing~~ at

That said relatives ~~are~~ is financially able to pay for the care and support of said Mrs Adelia Stidger at the hospital the sum of nine ($9.00) per month.

Dated May 15th, 1902.

F. T. Nilon
Judge of Superior Court.

* NOTE—Article III Section 6th, California Insanity Law, approved March 31, 1897: Liability for the care, support and treatment of the insane other than the poor and indigent; The father, mother, husband, wife or children of an insane person, if of sufficient ability, and the guardian of his person and estate, if his estate is sufficient for the purpose, shall cause him to be properly and suitably cared for and maintained.

In the Superior Court

Of ~~_____~~ County of Nevada

State of California.

Affidavit of Insanity.

In the Matter of C. B. Chambers, an Alleged Insane Person.

State of California,
COUNTY OF Nevada } ss.

John Hanford, being duly sworn, deposes and says that there is now in said county, in the city ~~or town~~ of Nevada, a person named C. B. Chambers, who is insane, and is so far disordered in mind as to endanger his ~~or her~~ health and person, or to endanger or cause the destruction of the property of himself ~~or herself,~~ or of others, or to endanger the lives of other persons, and that he, at Selby Flat, in said county, on the 17th day of June 1902., ~~threatened and a~~ttempted (state actions, etc.) to run away from home as he had previously done on ~~former~~ other occasions. He talks and acts in an irrational manner; imagines his image in a mirror is a person, to whom he frequently converses.

That, by reason of said insanity, said person is dangerous to be at large.

WHEREFORE, affiant prays that such action may be had as the law requires in the cases of persons who are so far disordered in mind as to endanger health, person, and property.

his
John X Hanford
mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 17th day of June 1902. Witness to signature by mark acknowledging

F. T. Nilon,
Judge of the Superior Court,
Nevada Co., Cal.

Order of Arrest.

In the Superior Court, County of Nevada, State of California.

IN THE MATTER OF

C. B. Chambers,

AN ALLEGED INSANE PERSON.

The People of the State of California, to any Sheriff, Constable, Marshal, Policeman, or Peace Officer in this State:

The affidavit of John Hanford, having been presented this day to me, F. T. Nilon, Judge of the Superior Court in and for ~~_____~~, County of Nevada State of California, from which it appears that there is now in this county, at Nevada City, a person by the name of C. B. Chambers, who is insane, and who is so disordered in mind as to endanger his own health, person, and property (or the person, lives, and property of others), and that it is dangerous for said person to be at large;

And it satisfactorily appearing to me that said C. B. Chambers is insane, and so far disordered in his mind as to endanger health, person, and property.

NOW, THEREFORE, you are commanded forthwith to arrest the above named person, and take him before a Judge of the Superior Court of the said County of Nevada, for an examination on said charge of insanity;

And I hereby direct that a copy of this warrant, together with a copy of said affidavit, be delivered to said C. B. Chambers at the time of his arrest; and I further direct that this warrant may be served at any hour of the night.

WITNESS my hand, this 17th day of June, 1902.

F. T. Nilon,
Judge of the Superior Court.

I hereby certify that I received the above warrant of arrest on the 17th day of June, 1902, and served the said warrant by arresting the said C. B. Chambers, alleged to be insane, and bringing h im before F. J. Nilon, Judge of the Superior Court of said County of Nevada, on the 17th day of June, 1902; and I further certify that I delivered a copy of said warrant of arrest, together with a copy of the affidavit of insanity, as directed in said warrant, personally to said C. B. Chambers, at the time of the arrest.

D B Getchell Sheriff
Nevada County. California
By T H Waters Deputy.

Order Fixing Time for Hearing.

In the Superior Court, County of Nevada, State of California.

In the Matter of the Alleged Insanity of

C. B. Chambers

The above named C. B. Chambers, having been brought before me under a warrant of arrest, charged with being insane, it is hereby ordered that said C. B. Chambers appear before me on the 18th day of June, 1902., at 2 o'clock, P.M., for an examination and hearing on said charge, and that he be committed to the custody of the Sheriff of said Nevada County

until said examination and hearing is had.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be personally served on said C. B. Chambers before said examination and hearing.

Dated this 17th day of June, 1902.

F. J. Nilon
Judge of the Superior Court.

State of California,
COUNTY OF Nevada } ss.

I hereby certify that I received the within order for hearing on the 17th day of June, 1902 and served the same on C. B. Chambers, the alleged insane person named therein, at Nevada City, County of Nevada, State of California, on the 17th day of June, 1902., by delivering to said, C. B. Chambers personally, a copy of said order for hearing. And I further certify that said alleged insane person is now in the care and custody of the Sheriff of said Nevada County.

Dated June 17th, 1902.

D B Getchell Sheriff
By T H Waters Deputy

Exhibit "A."

Medical examination of C. B. Chambers, *charged with insanity. Must be filled out by two reputable physicians, graduates in medicine, who should answer every question as fully as possible.*

State of California,
COUNTY OF Nevada } ss.

Statement of Facts.

1. Name, C. B. Chambers alleged insane person, resides at Nevada City County of Nevada; Age, 78 years; Nativity, Canadian; If foreign born, how long in United States, Over 50 yrs; How long in California, 21 4 yrs; Sex, Male; Place from which he came to this State, Canada; Color, White; Occupation, Farmer. Religious belief, Free Thinker; Education—illiterate, ~~reads only~~, common school, ~~academic, collegiate, or unknown~~. (*Strike out words not required.*) Civil condition—~~single~~, ~~married~~, widowed, ~~divorced~~. (*Strike out words not required.*) If female and married, give maiden name, —; Give maiden name of mother, —; Number of children: Living, 3; Dead, 9

2. Has either parent been addicted to the use of opium, cocaine, tobacco, or alcoholic beverages to excess, or other stimulating narcotics? Do not know

3. Have any relatives been eccentric or peculiar in any way in their habits or pursuits? No. If so, how?

Have any relatives, direct or collateral, suffered, or are they suffering, from any form of chronic disease, such as consumption or tuberculosis, syphilis, rheumatism, neuralgia, hysteria, or nervousness, or had epilepsy or falling sickness? No

4. Which parent does alleged insane person resemble mentally, Do not know Physically Do not know. Habits (cleanly or uncleanly), Cleanly but careless

(*a*) What degree of intelligence does he possess in comparison with other members of the family? Do not know

(*b*) Has alleged insane person normally any eccentricity or peculiarity in manner, speech or action? No

(*c*) Has alleged insane person ever been addicted to masturbation or sexual excesses? Do not know. If so, for how long? —

(*d*) Has alleged insane person ever had convulsions? No. If so, when did he have the first one? —. When the last one? —

(*e*) Had alleged insane person any severe disease, accompanied by prolonged high temperature or convulsions, during the first two years of life, or afterwards? Do not know

(*f*) State alleged insane person's habits as to use of liquor, tobacco, opium, or other drugs, and whether excessive or moderate? Moderate smoker

(*g*) What is alleged insane person's natural disposition or temperament, and mental capacity? affectionate & kind

5. Has alleged insane person insane relatives? No If so, state the degree of consanguinity and whether paternal or maternal, —

6. Has alleged insane person any peculiarities of temper or disposition, making him different from other members of the family? Do not know

7. What is alleged insane person's general physical condition? Good.

8. Specify any disease of which alleged insane person has suffered, or does suffer, or any injury received, None

9. Has alleged insane person ever been an inmate of an institution for the insane? No. If so, state when, —

Where, —. How long an inmate, —

Whether discharged recovered, or otherwise, —

(*a*) Number of previous attacks, —

(*b*) Dates of previous attacks, —

(*c*) Length of time each previous attack lasted, —

10. Present attack began, 5 yrs. ago

(*a*) Was the present attack gradual or rapid in its onset? Gradual

(*b*) When was any change in his habits, conversation, or mode of living first noticed? 5 yrs. ago.

(*c*) Give progress of development of the disease from the date of first manifestation to present time Gradually getting worse

11. Is alleged insane person noisy, restless, violent, dangerous, destructive, incendiary, excited or depressed, homicidal or suicidal? (If either homicide or suicide has been attempted or threatened, it should be so stated.) Restless, Excited & depressed at times

12. Age when menses appeared, —

(*a*) Amount and character before insanity appeared, —

(*b*) Since insanity appeared, —

(*c*) Has menstruation been painful? —. Is it now painful? —

13. Has the change of life taken place? —

(*a*) Was it gradual or sudden? —

(*b*) Give symptoms, —

(c) How changed from normal, —

14. Memory, Failing

(a) Sleep, Restless at times

(b) Headache or neuralgia, No

(c) Constipation or indigestion, Constipation

15. What is the supposed cause of insanity?—Predisposing,

Exciting, Senility

Facts indicating insanity, personally observed by me, as follows: The alleged insane person said (state what the alleged insane person said, if anything, in presence of the examiners): Inability to remember. Conversation disconnected

The alleged insane person (state what the alleged insane person did in presence of the examiners, and also describe his or her appearance and manner) Listless. Pays no attention to surroundings

Other facts indicating insanity, including those communicated to me by others, as follows: (State what, if any, significant change there has been in the alleged insane person's disposition, mental condition, business or social habits, or bodily health) Mental condition bad. Wanders away from home. Breaks out of his room imagining it is on fire. Chops kindling and lays it around as if to build a fire. Does not remember his surroundings or acts

Illusions, None

Hallucinations (whether of sight, hearing, taste, or smell), None

Delusions (character of; are they fixed or changeable), Fixed. When he sees himself in looking-glass imagines it is some one else

What treatment has been pursued (state remedies given, and whether given hypodermically or not), None

Whether patient has been restrained by muff, belt or otherwise, Once after attempting to get out of bed.

DIAGNOSIS, Dementia (Senile)

Name and address of correspondent, Mrs Ruth Hanford Nevada City Cal

Telegraphic address, Same

Relationship of correspondent to alleged insane person, Daughter

That the facts stated and information contained in this exhibit are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Dated Nevada City June 18th, 1907.

E J Swanson, M. D.

C. L. Muller, M. D.

Physician's Certificate of Insanity.

In the Superior Court, State of California, in and for the County of Nevada

E. Jamieson, and

C. L. Muller, being duly sworn, depose and say, and certify, each for himself, and not one for the other, that he is a graduate in medicine; that at the request and in the presence of the Hon. F. T. Nelson Judge of the Superior Court in and for the State of California, County of Nevada, he has heard the testimony, and carefully and personally examined the said C. B. Chambers, in reference to the charge of insanity, in the manner and with the results set forth in the medical examination hereto annexed and marked Exhibit "A", and made a part hereof; and finds that said C. B. Chambers is insane, and is so far disordered in h~~~~ mind as to endanger health, life, person, or property, and that the condition of said C. B. Chambers is such as to require care and treatment in a hospital or asylum for the care, custody, and treatment of the insane; that said testimony was taken in the presence of said insane person; that the insanity of said C. B. Chambers is not a case of idiocy, imbecility, simple feebleness of mind, a case of acute mania a potu, of harmless chronic mental unsoundness, or of epilepsy.

We recommend that said C. B. Chambers be confined in a hospital or asylum for the care, custody, and treatment of the insane.

E. Jamieson, M. D.

C. L. Muller, M. D.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 18th day of June, 1902

F. L. Ashgast County Clerk

By L. Hocking Deputy

Judgment of Insanity and Commitment of Insane Person.

In the Superior Court, State of California, in and for the County of Nevada.

IN THE MATTER

—OF—

C. B. Chambers

AN ALLEGED INSANE PERSON.

C. B. Chambers, the person named in the foregoing affidavit, being this day brought before me, Judge of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada for a hearing and examination on a charge of insanity as set forth in the said affidavit or complaint, and a warrant of arrest and notice of said charge of insanity having been duly, regularly, and personally served on h~~~~ the said C. B. Chambers, and said C. B. Chambers having been acquainted by me with the nature of said charge, and of h~~~~ right to a hearing on said charge, and of h~~~~ right to have witnesses subpœnaed to appear and testify on h~~~~ behalf, and of h~~~~ right to be represented by counsel, and either in person or by attorney to examine or cross-examine witnesses at said hearing, and of h~~~~ right to demand a trial by jury on said charge, and notice of the time and place of said hearing having been duly given to said C. B. Chambers, and said C. B. Chambers having been present at said hearing, held in open Court, no jury having been demanded by said C. B. Chambers, or on h~~~~ behalf by any person (~~and before a jury demanded by or on behalf of said~~ ~~_____~~, ~~and duly impaneled and sworn to try said~~ ~~_____~~ ~~on said charge of insanity), and~~ and John Hanford, Ruth E. Hanford and William Rabb

having been duly sworn and testified as witnesses at said hearing, ~~including~~ all of which

witnesses who have been acquainted with said C. B. Chambers during the time of h~~~~ alleged insanity, and the physicians whose certificate that said C. B. Chambers is insane is hereto attached and marked Exhibit "A," and said testimony of the witnesses having been taken in the presence of said C. B. Chambers and of the examing physicians whose certificate that said C. B. Chambers is insane is hereto attached (~~and said jury having found said~~ ~~_____~~ ~~to be insane),~~ and being further satisfied of the truth of all the matters set forth in said physicians' certificate, and that C. B. Chambers is insane, and that it is dangerous to life, health, person, and property for said C. B. Chambers to be at large, and that the condition of said person is such as to require care and treatment in a hospital or institution for the care, custody, and treatment of the insane,

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED, that said C. B. Chambers is insane, and that he be committed to and confined in the Stockton State Hospital, or Asylum, for the insane, at Stockton, Cal.

I hereby direct that D. B. Getchell, Sheriff of the County of Nevada, take and convey said C. B. Chambers to the State Hospital or Asylum at Stockton, to be held and confined therein as an insane person.

And I certify that ~~the sum of~~ no money ~~Dollars~~ was found on the person of said patient at the time of his arrest, which the said Sheriff is ordered to deliver to the Medical Superintendent of said institution.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said Superior Court this 18th day of June, 1902.

F. T. Nilon,
Judge of the Superior Court.

ATTEST: F. L. Arbogast
Clerk of the Superior Court.

By J. Hosking, Deputy Clerk

State of Financial Ability.

As to the ability of said C. B. Chambers to pay for his care and support at the hospital, I find on diligent inquiry that said C. B. Chambers is possessed of no personal or real estate ~~of the estimated value of~~ whatever. ~~situate~~ in ~~and of the following description~~:

~~also the following described personal property~~:

~~That the income of said property is as follows~~:

That said C. B. Chambers is not ~~is~~ able to pay ~~the sum of~~ any sum per month for his care and support at the Stockton State Hospital

Name and address of guardian residing Mrs Ruth E. Hanford, Nevada City, California.

Or—

That said C. B. Chambers has *relatives as follows: Mrs Ruth E. Hanford, a daughter, residing at Nevada City, Cal.

~~residing at~~

~~residing at~~

That said relatives are financially unable ~~able~~ to pay for the care and support of said C. B. Chambers at the hospital, ~~the sum of~~ ~~per month~~.

Dated June 18th, 1902.

F. T. Nilon
Judge of Superior Court.

*NOTE—Article III Section 6th, California Insanity Law, approved March 31, 1897: Liability for the care, support and treatment of the insane other than the poor and indigent; The father, mother, husband, wife or children of an insane person, if of sufficient ability, and the guardian of his person and estate, if his estate is sufficient for the purpose, shall cause him to be properly and suitably cared for and maintained.

In the Superior Court

Of ——————— County of Nevada.

State of California.

Affidavit of Insanity.

In the Matter of James Jones, an Alleged Insane Person.

State of California,
COUNTY OF Nevada } ss.

Frank Jones, being duly sworn, deposes and says that there is now in said county, in the city ~~or town~~ of Nevada, a person named James Jones, who is insane, and is so far disordered in mind as to endanger his ~~or her~~ health and person, or to endanger or cause the destruction of the property of himself ~~or herself~~, or of others, or to endanger the lives of other persons, and that he, at Grass Valley Township, in said county, on or about the 30th day of July 1902, threatened and attempted (state actions, etc.) to do violence to his father Robert Jones without any apparent reason; that he talks and acts in an irrational manner.

That, by reason of said insanity, said person is dangerous to be at large.

WHEREFORE, affiant prays that such action may be had as the law requires in the cases of persons who are so far disordered in mind as to endanger health, person, and property.

Frank Jones

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 7th day of August, 1902.

F. J. Nilon
Judge of the Superior Court.

Order of Arrest.

In the Superior Court, County of Nevada, State of California.

IN THE MATTER OF
James Jones
AN ALLEGED INSANE PERSON.

The People of the State of California, to any Sheriff, Constable, Marshal, Policeman, or Peace Officer in this State:

The affidavit of Frank Jones, having been presented this day to me, F. J. Nilon, Judge of the Superior Court in and for the, County of Nevada State of California, from which it appears that there is now in this county, at Nevada City, a person by the name of James Jones, who is insane, and who is so disordered in mind as to endanger his own health, person, and property (or the person, lives, and property of others), and that it is dangerous for said person to be at large;

And it satisfactorily appearing to me that said James Jones is insane, and so far disordered in his mind as to endanger health, person, and property.

NOW, THEREFORE, you are commanded forthwith to arrest the above named person, and take him before a Judge of the Superior Court of the said County of Nevada, for an examination on said charge of insanity;

And I hereby direct that a copy of this warrant, together with a copy of said affidavit, be delivered to said James Jones at the time of his arrest; and I further direct that this warrant may be served at any hour of the night.

WITNESS my hand, this 7th day of August, 1902.

F. J. Nilon
Judge of the Superior Court.

I hereby certify that I received the above warrant of arrest on the 7" day of August, 1902, and served the said warrant by arresting the said James Jones, alleged to be insane, and bringing h~~im~~ before F. T. Nilon, Judge of the Superior Court of said County of Nevada, on the 7" day of August, 1902; and I further certify that I delivered a copy of said warrant of arrest, together with a copy of the affidavit of insanity, as directed in said warrant, personally to said James Jones, at the time of the arrest.

D B Getchell Sheriff
of Nevada County
By T H Waters Deputy

Order Fixing Time for Hearing.

In the Superior Court, County of Nevada, State of California.

In the Matter of the Alleged Insanity of

James Jones.

The above named James Jones, having been brought before me under a warrant of arrest, charged with being insane, it is hereby ordered that said James Jones appear before me on the 7th day of August, 1902, at four o'clock, P.M., for an examination and hearing on said charge, and that he be committed to the custody of the Sheriff of said County of Nevada

until said examination and hearing is had.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be personally served on said James Jones before said examination and hearing.

Dated this 7th day of August, 1902

F. T. Nilon
Judge of the Superior Court.

State of California,
COUNTY OF Nevada } ss.

I hereby certify that I received the within order for hearing on the 7" day of August, 1902 and served the same on James Jones, the alleged insane person named therein, at , County of Nevada, State of California, on the 7" day of August, 1902, by delivering to said, James Jones personally, a copy of said order for hearing. And I further certify that said alleged insane person is now in the care and custody of the Sheriff of said Nevada Co

Dated August 7", 1902

D B Getchell Sheriff
By T H Waters Deputy

Exhibit "A."

Medical examination of , charged with insanity. Must be filled out by two reputable physicians, graduates in medicine, who should answer every question as fully as possible.

State of California,
COUNTY OF Nevada } ss.

Statement of Facts.

1. Name, James Jones alleged insane person, resides at Grass Valley County of Nevada; Age, 38 years; Nativity, California; If foreign born, how long in United States, —; How long in California, —; Sex, Male; Place from which he came to this State, —; Color, White; Occupation, Miner Religious belief, Protestant; Education—~~illiterate~~, reads only, ~~common school~~, ~~academic~~, ~~collegiate~~, or ~~unknown~~. (*Strike out words not required.*) Civil condition—single, ~~married~~, ~~widowed~~, ~~divorced.~~ (*Strike out words not required.*) If female and married, give maiden name, —; Give maiden name of mother, Anna Butterworth; Number of children: Living, —; Dead, —

2. Has either parent been addicted to the use of opium, cocaine, tobacco, or alcoholic beverages to excess, or other stimulating narcotics? No

3. Have any relatives been eccentric or peculiar in any way in their habits or pursuits? No. If so, how? —

Have any relatives, direct or collateral, suffered, or are they suffering, from any form of chronic disease, such as consumption or tuberculosis, syphilis, rheumatism, neuralgia, hysteria, or nervousness, or had epilepsy or falling sickness? No.

4. Which parent does alleged insane person resemble mentally, Father
Physically Father. Habits (cleanly or uncleanly), Cleanly

(*a*) What degree of intelligence does he possess in comparison with other members of the family? Same

(*b*) Has alleged insane person normally any eccentricity or peculiarity in manner, speech or action? No

(*c*) Has alleged insane person ever been addicted to masturbation or sexual excesses? Yes. If so, for how long? Since a boy.

(*d*) Has alleged insane person ever had convulsions? No. If so, when did he have the first one? —
. When the last one? —

(*e*) Had alleged insane person any severe disease, accompanied by prolonged high temperature or convulsions, during the first two years of life, or afterwards? No

(*f*) State alleged insane person's habits as to use of liquor, tobacco, opium, or other drugs, and whether excessive or moderate? Does not use

(*g*) What is alleged insane person's natural disposition or temperament, and mental capacity? Good

5. Has alleged insane person insane relatives? No If so, state the degree of consanguinity and whether paternal or maternal, —

6. Has alleged insane person any peculiarities of temper or disposition, making him different from other members of the family? No

7. What is alleged insane person's general physical condition? Good.

8. Specify any disease of which alleged insane person has suffered, or does suffer, or any injury received, none

9. Has alleged insane person ever been an inmate of an institution for the insane? No. If so, state when, —
Where, —. How long an inmate, —
Whether discharged recovered, or otherwise, —

(*a*) Number of previous attacks, —

(*b*) Dates of previous attacks, —

(*c*) Length of time each previous attack lasted, —

10. Present attack began, Over a year

(*a*) Was the present attack gradual or rapid in its onset? Gradual.

(*b*) When was any change in his habits, conversation, or mode of living first noticed? Over a year.

(*c*) Give progress of development of the disease from the date of first manifestation to present time Gradually growing worse

11. Is alleged insane person noisy, restless, violent, dangerous, ~~destructive~~, ~~incendiary~~, excited or ~~depressed~~, homicidal or ~~suicidal~~? (If either homicide or suicide has been attempted or threatened, it should be so stated.) Depressed at times Threatened to kill father & brother

12. Age when menses appeared, —

(*a*) Amount and character before insanity appeared, —

(*b*) Since insanity appeared, —

(*c*) Has menstruation been painful? —. Is it now painful? —

13. Has the change of life taken place? —

(*a*) Was it gradual or sudden? —

(*b*) Give symptoms, —

(*c*) How changed from normal, —

14. Memory, Good before disease began

(*a*) Sleep, Fair

(*b*) Headache or neuralgia, No

(*c*) Constipation or indigestion, Do not know

15. What is the supposed cause of insanity?—Predisposing, Masturbation

Exciting, Mental Condition due to Masturbation

Facts indicating insanity, personally observed by me, as follows: The alleged insane person said (state what the alleged insane person said, if anything, in presence of the examiners): Mental Condition- General appearance

The alleged insane person (state what the alleged insane person did in presence of the examiners, and also describe his or her appearance and manner) Appearance of imbecile- talks to himself

Other facts indicating insanity, including those communicated to me by others, as follows: (State what, if any, significant change there has been in the alleged insane person's disposition, mental condition, business or social habits, or bodily health)

Testimony of witnesses- Mental condition failing

Illusions, None

Hallucinations (whether of sight, hearing, taste, or smell), None

Delusions (character of; are they fixed or changeable), None

What treatment has been pursued (state remedies given, and whether given hypodermically or not), None

Whether patient has been restrained by muff, belt or otherwise, No

DIAGNOSIS, Imbecility Progressive

Name and address of correspondent, Robert Jones- Grass Valley Nevada Co Calif

Telegraphic address, Robt Jones. Grass Valley. Nevada Co. Calif

Relationship of correspondent to alleged insane person, Father

That the facts stated and information contained in this exhibit are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Dated Nevada City Aug. 7th, 1902.

C. L. Muller, M. D.

E. Jamieson, M. D.

Physician's Certificate of Insanity.

In the Superior Court, State of California, in and for the County of Nevada

L. L. Muller M. D., and E. Jamieson M. D., being duly sworn, depose and say, and certify, each for himself, and not one for the other, that he is a graduate in medicine; that at the request and in the presence of the Hon. F. L. Nelson Judge of the Superior Court in and for the State of California, County of Nevada, he has heard the testimony, and carefully and personally examined the said James Jones, in reference to the charge of insanity, in the manner and with the results set forth in the medical examination hereto annexed and marked Exhibit "A", and made a part hereof; and finds that said James Jones is insane, and is so far disordered in h... mind as to endanger health, life, person, or property, and that the condition of said James Jones is such as to require care and treatment in a hospital or asylum for the care, custody, and treatment of the insane; that said testimony was taken in the presence of said insane person; that the insanity of said James Jones is not a case of idiocy, imbecility, simple feebleness of mind, a case of acute mania a potu, of harmless chronic mental unsoundness, or of epilepsy.

We recommend that said James Jones be confined in a hospital or asylum for the care, custody, and treatment of the insane.

L. L. Muller, M. D.

E. Jamieson, M. D.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 7th day of August, 1902

F. L. Arbogast

County Clerk.

Judgment of Insanity and Commitment of Insane Person.

In the Superior Court, State of California, in and for the County of Nevada.

IN THE MATTER
—OF—
James Jones
AN ALLEGED INSANE PERSON.

James Jones, the person named in the foregoing affidavit, being this day brought before me, Judge of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada for a hearing and examination on a charge of insanity as set forth in the said affidavit or complaint, and a warrant of arrest and notice of said charge of insanity having been duly, regularly, and personally served on h... , the said James Jones, and said James Jones having been acquainted by me with the nature of said charge, and of h... right to a hearing on said charge, and of h... right to have witnesses subpœnaed to appear and testify on h... behalf, and of h... right to be represented by counsel, and either in person or by attorney to examine or cross-examine witnesses at said hearing, and of h... right to demand a trial by jury on said charge, and notice of the time and place of said hearing having been duly given to said James Jones, and said James Jones having been present at said hearing, held in open Court, ~~no jury having been demanded by said~~ no jury having been demanded by said James Jones, or on h... behalf by any person (~~and before a jury demanded by or on behalf of said~~ _____, ~~and duly impaneled and sworn to try said _____ on said charge of insanity~~), and Frank Jones and Robert Jones

having been duly sworn and testified as witnesses at said hearing, ~~including~~ both of whom

~~witnesses who~~ have been acquainted with said James Jones during the time of h... alleged insanity, and the physicians whose certificate that said James Jones is insane is hereto attached and marked Exhibit "A," and said testimony of the witnesses having been taken in the presence of said James Jones and of the examing physicians whose certificate that said James Jones is insane is hereto attached (~~and said jury having found said _____ to be insane~~), and being further satisfied of the truth of all the matters set forth in said physicians' certificate, and that James Jones is insane, and that it is dangerous to life, health, person, and property for said James Jones to be at large, and that the condition of said person is such as to require care and treatment in a hospital or institution for the care, custody, and treatment of the insane,

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED, that said James Jones is insane, and that he be committed to and confined in the Stockton State Hospital, or Asylum, for the insane, at Stockton, Cal.

I hereby direct that D. B. Getchell, Sheriff of the County of Nevada, take and convey said James Jones to the State Hospital or Asylum at Stockton, to be held and confined therein as an insane person.

And I certify that ~~the sum of~~ no money ~~Dollars~~ was found on the person of said patient at the time of h arrest, which the said Sheriff is ordered to deliver to the Medical Superintendent of said institution.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said Superior Court this 7th day of August, 1902.

F. T. Nilon
Judge of the Superior Court.

ATTEST:

F. L. Arbogast
Clerk of the Superior Court.

By .....

State of Financial Ability.

As to the ability of said James Jones to pay for his care and support at the hospital, I find on diligent inquiry that said James Jones is possessed of no (or personal) real estate ~~of the estimated value of~~ ..... situate in ..... ~~and of the following description~~:

~~also the following described personal property~~:

~~That the income of said property~~ is as follows:

That said James Jones is not able to pay ~~the sum of~~ any sum per month for his care and support at the Stockton Sate Hospital
Name and address of guardian residing at Grass Valley, Calif. - Robert Jones.

Or—

That ~~said~~ ..... ~~has *relatives as follows~~:

~~residing at~~

~~residing at~~

~~residing at~~

That said relatives are not financially able to pay for the care and support of said James Jones, at the hospital ~~the sum of~~ — — — — — — ~~per month~~.

Dated August 7th, 1902.

F. T. Nilon
Judge of Superior Court.

*NOTE—Article III Section 6th, California Insanity Law, approved March 31, 1897: Liability for the care, support and treatment of the insane other than the poor and indigent; The father, mother, husband, wife or children of an insane person, if of sufficient ability, and the guardian of his person and estate, if his estate is sufficient for the purpose, shall cause him to be properly and suitably cared for and maintained.

In the Superior Court

Of County of Nevada

State of California.

Affidavit of Insanity.

In the Matter of John Robert McKeson, an Alleged Insane Person.

State of California,
COUNTY OF Nevada } ss.

J. H. Pascoe, being duly sworn, deposes and says that there is now in said county, in the city ~~or town~~ of Nevada, a person named John Robert McKeson, who is insane, and is so far disordered in mind as to endanger his ~~or her~~ health and person, or to endanger or cause the destruction of the property of himself ~~or herself~~, or of others, or to endanger the lives of other persons, and that he, at Cottage Hill in said county, on or about the 2nd day of August 1902, threatened and attempted (state actions, etc.) to do violence to the person of his father; that he talks and acts in an irrational manner

That, by reason of said insanity, said person is dangerous to be at large.

WHEREFORE, affiant prays that such action may be had as the law requires in the cases of persons who are so far disordered in mind as to endanger health, person, and property.

J. H. Pascoe

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 9th day of August 1902.

F. T. Nilon
Judge of the Superior Court, Nev. Co., Cal

Order of Arrest.

In the Superior Court, County of Nevada, State of California.

IN THE MATTER OF

John Robert McKeson

AN ALLEGED INSANE PERSON.

The People of the State of California, to any Sheriff, Constable, Marshal, Policeman, or Peace Officer in this State:

The affidavit of J. H. Pasco, having been presented this day to me, F. T. Nilon, Judge of the Superior Court in and for the, County of Nevada, State of California, from which it appears that there is now in this county, at Nevada City, a person by the name of John Robert McKeson, who is insane, and who is so disordered in mind as to endanger his own health, person, and property (or the person, lives, and property of others), and that it is dangerous for said person to be at large;

And it satisfactorily appearing to me that said John Robert McKeson is insane, and so far disordered in his mind as to endanger health, person, and property.

NOW, THEREFORE, you are commanded forthwith to arrest the above named person, and take him before a Judge of the Superior Court of the said County of Nevada, for an examination on said charge of insanity;

And I hereby direct that a copy of this warrant, together with a copy of said affidavit, be delivered to said John Robert McKeson at the time of his arrest; and I further direct that this warrant may be served at any hour of the night.

WITNESS my hand, this 9th day of August, 1902.

F. T. Nilon
Judge of the Superior Court,

I hereby certify that I received the above warrant of arrest on the 9th day of August, 1902, and served the said warrant by arresting the said John Robert Nickeson, alleged to be insane, and bringing him before F. J. Nilon, Judge of the Superior Court of said County of Nevada, on the 9th day of August, 1902, and I further certify that I delivered a copy of said warrant of arrest, together with a copy of the affidavit of insanity, as directed in said warrant, personally to said John Robert Nickeson, at the time of the arrest.

S. B. Getchell, Sheriff of Nevada County, Cal.
By J. H. Waters Deputy

Order Fixing Time for Hearing.

In the Superior Court, County of Nevada, State of California.

In the Matter of the Alleged Insanity of

John Robert Nickeson

The above named John Robert Nickeson, having been brought before me under a warrant of arrest, charged with being insane, it is hereby ordered that said John Robert Nickeson appear before me on the 9th day of August, 1902, at 5 o'clock, P. M., for an examination and hearing on said charge, and that he be committed to the custody of the Sheriff of said Nevada County

until said examination and hearing is had.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be personally served on said before said examination and hearing.

Dated this 9th day of August, 1902

F. J. Nilon
Judge of the Superior Court.

State of California,
COUNTY OF Nevada } ss.

I hereby certify that I received the within order for hearing on the 9th day of August, 1902 and served the same on John Robert Nickeson, the alleged insane person named therein, at Nevada City, County of Nevada, State of California, on the 9th day of August, 1902, by delivering to said, John Robert Nickeson personally, a copy of said order for hearing. And I further certify that said alleged insane person is now in the care and custody of the Sheriff of said Nevada County

Dated Aug 9th, 1902

S. B. Getchell Sheriff
By J. H. Waters
Deputy

Exhibit "A."

Medical examination of John Robert Nickeson, *charged with insanity. Must be filled out by two reputable physicians, graduates in medicine, who should answer every question as fully as possible.*

State of California,
COUNTY OF Nevada } ss.

Statement of Facts.

1. Name, John Robert Nickeson alleged insane person, resides at Cottage Hill County of Nevada; Age, 56 years; Nativity, Missouri; If foreign born, how long in United States, —; How long in California, 50 yrs; Sex, Male; Place from which he came to this State, Missouri; Color, White; Occupation, Blacksmith Religious belief, Protestant; Education—~~illiterate,~~ ~~reads~~ ~~only~~, common school, ~~academic~~, ~~collegiate~~, or ~~unknown~~. (*Strike out words not required.*) Civil condition—~~single~~, ~~married~~, ~~widowed~~, ~~divorced~~. (*Strike out words not required.*) If female and married, give maiden name, ; Give maiden name of mother, ; Number of children: Living, ; Dead,

2. Has either parent been addicted to the use of opium, cocaine, tobacco, or alcoholic beverages to excess, or other stimulating narcotics? No

3. Have any relatives been eccentric or peculiar in any way in their habits or pursuits? No. If so, how?

Have any relatives, direct or collateral, suffered, or are they suffering, from any form of chronic disease, such as consumption or tuberculosis, syphilis, rheumatism, neuralgia, hysteria, or nervousness, or had epilepsy or falling sickness? No

4. Which parent does alleged insane person resemble mentally, Father
Physically Father. Habits (cleanly or uncleanly), Cleanly

(*a*) What degree of intelligence does he possess in comparison with other members of the family? Same

(*b*) Has alleged insane person normally any eccentricity or peculiarity in manner, speech or action? No

(*c*) Has alleged insane person ever been addicted to masturbation or sexual excesses? No. If so, for how long?

(*d*) Has alleged insane person ever had convulsions? No. If so, when did he have the first one? —
. When the last one? —

(*e*) Had alleged insane person any severe disease, accompanied by prolonged high temperature or convulsions, during the first two years of life, or afterwards? No

(*f*) State alleged insane person's habits as to use of liquor, tobacco, opium, or other drugs, and whether excessive or moderate? Drinks occasionally now. Excessive drinker 8 or 9 yrs ago. Tobacco moderately

(*g*) What is alleged insane person's natural disposition or temperament, and mental capacity? Nervous.

5. Has alleged insane person insane relatives? Yes If so, state the degree of consanguinity and whether paternal or maternal, Sister

6. Has alleged insane person any peculiarities of temper or disposition, making him different from other members of the family? No

7. What is alleged insane person's general physical condition? Good.

8. Specify any disease of which alleged insane person has suffered, or does suffer, or any injury received, La Grippe + Pneumonia 3 yrs ago with high fever.

9. Has alleged insane person ever been an inmate of an institution for the insane? No. If so, state when, —
Where, —. How long an inmate, —
Whether discharged recovered, or otherwise, —

(*a*) Number of previous attacks, —

(*b*) Dates of previous attacks, —

(*c*) Length of time each previous attack lasted, —

10. Present attack began, Aug 1st 1902

(*a*) Was the present attack gradual or rapid in its onset? Rapid

(*b*) When was any change in his habits, conversation, or mode of living first noticed? 3 yrs ago after attack of Grippe + Pneumonia

(*c*) Give progress of development of the disease from the date of first manifestation to present time Gradually getting worse

11. Is alleged insane person noisy, restless, violent, dangerous, ~~destructive~~, ~~incendiary~~, excited or ~~depressed~~, homicidal or ~~suicidal~~? (If either homicide or suicide has been attempted or threatened, it should be so stated.) Homicidal at times Suicidal tendency

12. Age when menses appeared, —

(*a*) Amount and character before insanity appeared, —

(*b*) Since insanity appeared, —

(*c*) Has menstruation been painful? —. Is it now painful? —

13. Has the change of life taken place? —

(*a*) Was it gradual or sudden? —

(*b*) Give symptoms, —

(*c*) How changed from normal,

14. Memory, Good. for past events.

(*a*) Sleep, Poorly

(*b*) Headache or neuralgia, Headache at times severly.

(*c*) Constipation or indigestion, No.

15. What is the supposed cause of insanity?—Predisposing, La-Grippe-Pneumonia - Family history.

Exciting, Do not know

Facts indicating insanity, personally observed by me, as follows: The alleged insane person said (state what the alleged insane person said, if anything, in presence of the examiners): Talks incessantly on different subjects

The alleged insane person (state what the alleged insane person did in presence of the examiners, and also describe his or her appearance and manner) Very talkative

Other facts indicating insanity, including those communicated to me by others, as follows: (State what, if any, significant change there has been in the alleged insane person's disposition, mental condition, business or social habits, or bodily health)

Testimony of witnesses - Family history

Illusions, None

Hallucinations (whether of sight, hearing, taste, or smell), None

Delusions (character of; are they fixed or changeable), Fixed.

What treatment has been pursued (state remedies given, and whether given hypodermically or not), None.

Whether patient has been restrained by muff, belt or otherwise, No.

DIAGNOSIS, Mania

Name and address of correspondent, James R. Nickson - Auburn Placer Co. Calif

Telegraphic address, Same

Relationship of correspondent to alleged insane person, Father

That the facts stated and information contained in this exhibit are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Dated August 9th, 1902.

C. L. Muller, M. D.

A. H. Tinkell, M. D.

E. Jamieson M.D.

Physician's Certificate of Insanity.

In the Superior Court, State of California, in and for the County of Nevada,

G. L. Muller, E. Jamieson

A. H. Tickell, being duly sworn, depose and say, and certify, each for himself, and not one for the other, that he is a graduate in medicine; that at the request and in the presence of the Hon. F. T. Nilon Judge of the Superior Court in and for the State of California, County of Nevada, he has heard the testimony, and carefully and personally examined the said John Robert Nickeson, in reference to the charge of insanity, in the manner and with the results set forth in the medical examination hereto annexed and marked Exhibit "A", and made a part hereof; and finds that said John Robert Nickeson is insane, and is so far disordered in his mind as to endanger health, life, person, or property, and that the condition of said John Robert Nickeson is such as to require care and treatment in a hospital or asylum for the care, custody, and treatment of the insane; that said testimony was taken in the presence of said insane person; that the insanity of said John Robert Nickeson is not a case of idiocy, imbecility, simple feebleness of mind, a case of acute mania a potu, of harmless chronic mental unsoundness, or of epilepsy.

We recommend that said John Robert Nickeson be confined in a hospital or asylum for the care, custody, and treatment of the insane.

G. L. Muller, M. D.

E. Jamieson, M. D.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 9th day of August 1902, 190. F. K. Tuttle M.D.

F. L. Arbogast

County Clerk.

Judgment of Insanity and Commitment of Insane Person.

In the Superior Court, State of California, in and for the County of Nevada

IN THE MATTER

—OF—

John Robert Nickeson

AN ALLEGED INSANE PERSON.

John Robert Nickeson, the person named in the foregoing affidavit, being this day brought before me, Judge of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada for a hearing and examination on a charge of insanity as set forth in the said affidavit or complaint, and a warrant of arrest and notice of said charge of insanity having been duly, regularly, and personally served on him, the said John Robert Nickeson, and said John Robert Nickeson having been acquainted by me with the nature of said charge, and of his right to a hearing on said charge, and of his right to have witnesses subpœnaed to appear and testify on his behalf, and of his right to be represented by counsel, and either in person or by attorney to examine or cross-examine witnesses at said hearing, and of his right to demand a trial by jury on said charge, and notice of the time and place of said hearing having been duly given to said John Robert Nickeson and said John Robert Nickeson having been present at said hearing, held in open Court, ~~no jury having been demanded by said~~ no jury has been ~~demanded by said~~ John Robert Nickeson, or on his behalf by any person ~~(and before a jury demanded by or on behalf of said~~ ~~, and duly impaneled and sworn to try said~~ ~~on said charge of insanity)~~, and L. P. Schmidt and Geo A. Bailey

having been duly sworn and testified as witnesses at said hearing, ~~including~~ both of which witnesses ~~who~~ have been acquainted with said John Robert Nickeson during the time of his alleged insanity, and the physicians whose certificate that said John Robert Nickeson is insane is hereto attached and marked Exhibit "A," and said testimony of the witnesses having been taken in the presence of said John Robert Nickeson and of the examing physicians whose certificate that said John Robert Nickeson is insane is hereto attached ~~(and said jury having found said~~ ~~to be insane)~~, and being further satisfied of the truth of all the matters set forth in said physicians' certificate, and that John Robert Nickeson is insane, and that it is dangerous to life, health, person, and property for said John Robert Nickeson to be at large, and that the condition of said person is such as to require care and treatment in a hospital or institution for the care, custody, and treatment of the insane,

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED, that said John Robert Nickeson is insane, and that he be committed to and confined in the Stockton State Hospital, or Asylum, for the insane, at Stockton California.

I hereby direct that D B. Getchell, Sheriff of the County of Nevada, take and convey said John Robert Nickeson to the State Hospital or Asylum at Stockton, to be held and confined therein as an insane person.

And I certify that ~~the sum of~~ No Money ~~Dollars~~ was found on the person of said patient at the time of his arrest, which the said Sheriff is ordered to deliver to the Medical Superintendent of said institution.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said Superior Court this 9th day of August, 1902

F. T. Wilson

Judge of the Superior Court.

ATTEST:

F. L. Curtis

Clerk of the Superior Court.

By

State of Financial Ability.

As to the ability of said John Robert Nickeson to pay for his care and support at the hospital, I find on diligent inquiry that said John Robert Nickeson ~~not~~ no is possessed of real estate ~~situate in~~ or personal property ~~of the estimated value of~~ ~~and of the following description:~~ except a violin and watch

~~also the following described personal property:~~

~~That the income of said~~ property is as follows:

That said John Robert Nickeson not is able to pay ~~the~~ any sum of money per month for his care and support at the Stockton State Hospital.

~~Name and address of guardian residing~~

Or—

That said John Robert Nickeson has *relatives as follows: Father, James R. Nickeson. Mother Melvina Nickeson residing at Wolf Nevada Co. Cal.

Ben Nickeson a brother residing at Wolf P.O. Nevada Co. Cal.

residing at

That said relatives are not financially able to pay for the care and support of said John Robert Nickeson at the hospital ~~the sum of~~ ~~per month.~~

Dated August 9th, 1902.

F. T. Wilson

Judge of Superior Court.

*NOTE—Article III Section 6th, California Insanity Law, approved March 31, 1897: Liability for the care, support and treatment of the insane other than the poor and indigent; The father, mother, husband, wife or children of an insane person, if of sufficient ability, and the guardian of his person and estate, if his estate is sufficient for the purpose, shall cause him to be properly and suitably cared for and maintained.

In the Superior Court

Of County of Nevada

State of California.

Affidavit of Insanity.

In the Matter of David Aldert, an Alleged Insane Person.

State of California,
COUNTY OF Nevada } ss.

C. W. Long, being duly sworn, deposes and says that there is now in said county, in the ~~city or~~ town of Truckee, a person named David Aldert, who is insane, and is so far disordered in mind as to endanger his ~~or her~~ health and person, or to endanger or cause the destruction of the property of himself ~~or herself~~, or of others, or to endanger the lives of other persons, and that he, at Truckee in said county, on the 25th day of August 1902, threatened ~~and attempted~~ (state actions, etc.) to commit suicide, and talks and acts in an irrational manner.

That, by reason of said insanity, said person is dangerous to be at large.

WHEREFORE, affiant prays that such action may be had as the law requires in the cases of persons who are so far disordered in mind as to endanger health, person, and property.

C W Long

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 29th day of August 1902

F. T. Nilon
Judge of the Superior Court.
Nevada Co., Cal.

Order of Arrest.

In the Superior Court, County of Nevada, State of California.

IN THE MATTER OF
David Aldert
AN ALLEGED INSANE PERSON.

The People of the State of California, to any Sheriff, Constable, Marshal, Policeman, or Peace Officer in this State:

The affidavit of C. W. Long, having been presented this day to me, F. T. Nilon, Judge of the Superior Court in and for the, County of Nevada State of California, from which it appears that there is now in this county, at Nevada City, a person by the name of David Aldert, who is insane, and who is so disordered in mind as to endanger h.is own health, person, and property (or the person, lives, and property of others), and that it is dangerous for said person to be at large;

And it satisfactorily appearing to me that said David Aldert is insane, and so far disordered in his mind as to endanger health, person, and property.

NOW, THEREFORE, you are commanded forthwith to arrest the above named person, and take him before a Judge of the Superior Court of the said County of Nevada, for an examination on said charge of insanity;

And I hereby direct that a copy of this warrant, together with a copy of said affidavit, be delivered to said David Aldert at the time of his arrest; and I further direct that this warrant may be served at any hour of the night.

WITNESS my hand, this 8th day of Sept, 1902.

F. T. Nilon
Judge of the Superior Court

I hereby certify that I received the above warrant of arrest on the 8th day of Sept., 1902., and served the said warrant by arresting the said David Aldert, alleged to be insane, and bringing him before F. J. Nilon, Judge of the Superior Court of said County of Nevada, on the 8th day of Sept, 1902; and I further certify that I delivered a copy of said warrant of arrest, together with a copy of the affidavit of insanity, as directed in said warrant, personally to said David Aldert, at the time of the arrest.

D B Fetchell
Sheriff of Comty of Nevada.

Order Fixing Time for Hearing.

In the Superior Court, County of Nevada, State of California.

In the Matter of the Alleged Insanity of

David Aldert

The above named David Aldert, having been brought before me under a warrant of arrest, charged with being insane, it is hereby ordered that said David Aldert appear before me on the 8th day of September, 1902., at 7 o'clock, P. M., for an examination and hearing on said charge, and that he be committed to the custody of the Sheriff of said Nevada County until said examination and hearing is had.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be personally served on said David Aldert before said examination and hearing.

Dated this 8th day of September, 1902

F. J. Nilon
Judge of the Superior Court.

State of California,
COUNTY OF Nevada } ss.

I hereby certify that I received the within order for hearing on the 8th day of Sept, 1902 and served the same on David Aldert, the alleged insane person named therein, at Nevada City, County of Nevada, State of California, on the 8th day of Sept., 1902, by delivering to said, David Aldert personally, a copy of said order for hearing. And I further certify that said alleged insane person is now in the care and custody of the Sheriff of said County of Nevada.

Dated Sept 8, 1902

D B Fetchell
Sheriff Comty of Nevada.

Exhibit "A."

Medical examination of David Aldert, *charged with insanity. Must be filled out by two reputable physicians, graduates in medicine, who should answer every question as fully as possible.*

State of California,
COUNTY OF Nevada } ss.

Statement of Facts.

1. Name, David Aldert alleged insane person, resides at Truckee County of Nevada; Age, 47 years; Nativity, American; If foreign born, how long in United States, —; How long in California, 11 yrs.; Sex, Male; Place from which he came to this State, Kansas; Color, white; Occupation, Laborer Religious belief, Protestant; Education—illiterate, ~~reads only,~~ common school, ~~academic, collegiate, or unknown.~~ (*Strike out words not required.*) Civil condition—single, ~~married, widowed, divorced.~~ (*Strike out words not required.*) If female and married, give maiden name, ; Give maiden name of mother, ; Number of children: Living, ; Dead,

2. Has either parent been addicted to the use of opium, cocaine, tobacco, or alcoholic beverages to excess, or other stimulating narcotics? Do not know

3. Have any relatives been eccentric or peculiar in any way in their habits or pursuits? Do not know If so, how? —

Have any relatives, direct or collateral, suffered, or are they suffering, from any form of chronic disease, such as consumption or tuberculosis, syphilis, rheumatism, neuralgia, hysteria, or nervousness, or had epilepsy or falling sickness? Do not know

4. Which parent does alleged insane person resemble mentally, Do not know. Physically Do not know. Habits (cleanly or uncleanly), Cleanly

(*a*) What degree of intelligence does he possess in comparison with other members of the family? Do not know

(*b*) Has alleged insane person normally any eccentricity or peculiarity in manner, speech or action? Do not know

(*c*) Has alleged insane person ever been addicted to masturbation or sexual excesses? Do not know. If so, for how long? —

(*d*) Has alleged insane person ever had convulsions? Do not know If so, when did he have the first one? —. When the last one? —

(*e*) Had alleged insane person any severe disease, accompanied by prolonged high temperature or convulsions, during the first two years of life, or afterwards? Do not know.

(*f*) State alleged insane person's habits as to use of liquor, tobacco, opium, or other drugs, and whether excessive or moderate? Do not know. Uses tobacco excessively.

(*g*) What is alleged insane person's natural disposition or temperament, and mental capacity? Do not know.

5. Has alleged insane person insane relatives? Do not know If so, state the degree of consanguinity and whether paternal or maternal, —

6. Has alleged insane person any peculiarities of temper or disposition, making his different from other members of the family? Do not know

7. What is alleged insane person's general physical condition? Good.

8. Specify any disease of which alleged insane person has suffered, or does suffer, or any injury received, Do not know except tick from a horse 2 yrs ago.

9. Has alleged insane person ever been an inmate of an institution for the insane? Do not know If so, state when, —

Where, —. How long an inmate, —

Whether discharged recovered, or otherwise, —

(*a*) Number of previous attacks, —

(*b*) Dates of previous attacks, —

(*c*) Length of time each previous attack lasted, —

10. Present attack began, 4 wks ago.

(*a*) Was the present attack gradual or rapid in its onset? Do not know

(*b*) When was any change in his habits, conversation, or mode of living first noticed? 4 wks ago.

(*c*) Give progress of development of the disease from the date of first manifestation to present time Stationary

11. Is alleged insane person ~~noisy,~~ restless, ~~violent~~, dangerous, ~~destructive~~, ~~incendiary~~, excited or ~~depressed,~~ ~~homicidal or~~ suicidal? (If either homicide or suicide has been attempted or threatened, it should be so stated.) Threatened to commit suicide

12. Age when menses appeared, —

(*a*) Amount and character before insanity appeared, —

(*b*) Since insanity appeared, —

(*c*) Has menstruation been painful? —. Is it now painful? —

13. Has the change of life taken place? —

(*a*) Was it gradual or sudden? —

(*b*) Give symptoms, —

(c) How changed from normal, —

14. Memory, Good

(a) Sleep, Good.

(b) Headache or neuralgia, None

(c) Constipation or indigestion, No.

15. What is the supposed cause of insanity?—Predisposing, Injury to head

Exciting, Cerebral Pressure

Facts indicating insanity, personally observed by me, as follows: The alleged insane person said (state what the alleged insane person said, if anything, in presence of the examiners): Inventor of saws - perpetual motion, airship. Discovered large quantity of oil

The alleged insane person (state what the alleged insane person did in presence of the examiners, and also describe his or her appearance and manner) Appearance of insane person.

Other facts indicating insanity, including those communicated to me by others, as follows: (State what, if any, significant change there has been in the alleged insane person's disposition, mental condition, business or social habits, or bodily health) Testimony of witnesses

Illusions, None

Hallucinations (whether of sight, hearing, taste, or smell), None

Delusions (character of; are they fixed or changeable), Fixed. Oil discovery, Perpetual motion invention of saws.

What treatment has been pursued (state remedies given, and whether given hypodermically or not), None.

Whether patient has been restrained by muff, belt or otherwise, No.

DIAGNOSIS, Dementia

Name and address of correspondent, C. W. Long, Truckee, Nevada Co Calif.

Telegraphic address, Same

Relationship of correspondent to alleged insane person, none

That the facts stated and information contained in this exhibit are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Dated Nevada City Cal Sept 8th, 1902

A. B. Tinkes, M. D.

C. L. Muller, M. D.

Physician's Certificate of Insanity.

In the Superior Court, State of California, in and for the County of Nevada

A. W. Tickell M.D., and C. L. Muller M.D., being duly sworn, depose and say, and certify, each for himself, and not one for the other, that he is a graduate in medicine; that at the request and in the presence of the Hon. F. T. Nilon Judge of the Superior Court in and for the State of California, County of Nevada, he has heard the testimony, and carefully and personally examined the said David Aldert, in reference to the charge of insanity, in the manner and with the results set forth in the medical examination hereto annexed and marked Exhibit "A", and made a part hereof; and finds that said David Aldert is insane, and is so far disordered in his mind as to endanger health, life, person, or property, and that the condition of said David Aldert is such as to require care and treatment in a hospital or asylum for the care, custody, and treatment of the insane; that said testimony was taken in the presence of said insane person; that the insanity of said David Aldert is not a case of idiocy, imbecility, simple feebleness of mind, a case of acute mania a potu, of harmless chronic mental unsoundness, or of epilepsy.

We recommend that said David Aldert be confined in a hospital or asylum for the care, custody, and treatment of the insane.

A. W. Tickell, M. D.

C. L. Muller, M. D.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 8th day of September, 1902.

D. L. Arbogast County Clerk
Nevada Co. Cal.

Judgment of Insanity and Commitment of Insane Person.

In the Superior Court, State of California, in and for the County of Nevada

IN THE MATTER
—OF—
David Aldert
AN ALLEGED INSANE PERSON.

David Aldert, the person named in the foregoing affidavit, being this day brought before me, Judge of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada for a hearing and examination on a charge of insanity as set forth in the said affidavit or complaint, and a warrant of arrest and notice of said charge of insanity having been duly, regularly, and personally served on him, the said David Aldert, and said David Aldert having been acquainted by me with the nature of said charge, and of his right to a hearing on said charge, and of his right to have witnesses subpœnaed to appear and testify on his behalf, and of his right to be represented by counsel, and either in person or by attorney to examine or cross-examine witnesses at said hearing, and of his right to demand a trial by jury on said charge, and notice of the time and place of said hearing having been duly given to said David Aldert, and said David Aldert having been present at said hearing, held in open Court, no jury having been demanded by said David Aldert, or on his behalf by any person (~~and before a jury demanded by or on behalf of said _____, and duly impaneled and sworn to try said _____ on said charge of insanity~~), and T. H. Waters and S. B. Getchell

having been duly sworn and testified as witnesses at said hearing, ~~including~~ both of which

witnesses ~~who~~ have been acquainted with said David Aldert during part of the time of his alleged insanity, and the physicians whose certificate that said David Aldert is insane is hereto attached and marked Exhibit "A," and said testimony of the witnesses having been taken in the presence of said David Aldert and of the examing physicians whose certificate that said David Aldert is insane is hereto attached (~~and said jury having found said _____ to be insane~~), and being further satisfied of the truth of all the matters set forth in said physicians' certificate, and that David Aldert _____ is insane, and that it is dangerous to life, health, person, and property for said David Aldert to be at large, and that the condition of said person is such as to require care and treatment in a hospital or institution for the care, custody, and treatment of the insane,

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED, that said David Aldert is insane, and that he be committed to and confined in the Stöcktön State Hospital, or Asylum, for the insane, at Stöcktön, California.

I hereby direct that D. B. Getchell, Sheriff of the County of Nevada, take and convey said David Aldert to the State Hospital or Asylum at Stöcktön, to be held and confined therein as an insane person.

And I certify that ~~the sum of~~ no money ~~Dollars~~ was found on the person of said patient at the time of his arrest, which the said Sheriff is ordered to deliver to the Medical Superintendent of said institution.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said Superior Court this 8th day of September, 1902.

F. J. Nilon
Judge of the Superior Court.

ATTEST:

D. L. Arbogast
Clerk of the Superior Court.

By .....

State of Financial Ability.

As to the ability of said David Aldert to pay for his care and support at the hospital, I find on diligent inquiry that said David Aldert is not possessed of any real estate ~~of the estimated value of~~ or personal property whatever. ~~situate in and of the following description~~:

~~also the following described personal property~~:

~~That the income of said property is as follows~~:

That said David Aldert is not able to pay ~~the~~ any sum of money whatever per month for his care and support at the Stöcktön State Hospital

Name and address of ~~guardian~~ correspondent residing Chas W. Long, Truckee, California.

Or—

That said David Aldert has *relatives as follows:

John Aldert, brother,
residing ~~at~~ some place in Oklahoma.

Mrs Maggie Shephard, sister,
residing at Miswaukee, Miswaukee Co., Michigan.

No relatives in California.

~~residing at~~

I am unable to learn whether or not the

~~That~~ said relatives are financially able to pay for the care and support of said David Aldert at the hospital ~~the sum of~~ ——— ~~per month~~.

Dated September 8th, 1902.

F. J. Nilon
Judge of Superior Court.

*NOTE—Article III Section 6th, California Insanity Law, approved March 31, 1897: Liability for the care, support and treatment of the insane other than the poor and indigent; The father, mother, husband, wife or children of an insane person, if of sufficient ability, and the guardian of his person and estate, if his estate is sufficient for the purpose, shall cause him to be properly and suitably cared for and maintained.

In the Superior Court
Of ~~County~~ County of Nevada
State of California.

Affidavit of Insanity.

In the Matter of George H. Byrne, an Alleged Insane Person.

State of California,
COUNTY OF Nevada } ss.

C. W. Long, being duly sworn, deposes and says that there is now in said county, in the city ~~or town~~ of Nevada, a person named George H. Byrne, who is insane, and is so far disordered in mind as to endanger his ~~or her~~ health and person, or to endanger or cause the destruction of the property of himself ~~or herself~~, or of others, or to endanger the lives of other persons, and that he, at Truckee in said county, on the 7th day of July 1902, ~~threatened and attempted (state actions, etc.)~~ and ever since has talked and acted in an irrational manner. He imagines he has his body full of electricity and that he breathes the same; imagines he has been assaulted and beaten

That, by reason of said insanity, said person is dangerous to be at large.

WHEREFORE, affiant prays that such action may be had as the law requires in the cases of persons who are so far disordered in mind as to endanger health, person, and property.

C W Long

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 17th day of September, 1902

F. J. Nilon
Judge of the Superior Court.

Order of Arrest.

In the Superior Court, County of Nevada, State of California.

IN THE MATTER OF

George H. Byrne
AN ALLEGED INSANE PERSON.

The People of the State of California, to any Sheriff, Constable, Marshal, Policeman, or Peace Officer in this State:

The affidavit of C. W. Long, having been presented this day to me, F. J. Nilon, Judge of the Superior Court in and for the ~~County~~, County of Nevada State of California, from which it appears that there is now in this county, at Nevada City, a person by the name of George H. Byrne, who is insane, and who is so disordered in mind as to endanger ~~his~~ own health, person, and property (or the person, lives, and property of others), and that it is dangerous for said person to be at large;

And it satisfactorily appearing to me that said George H. Byrne is insane, and so far disordered in ~~his~~ mind as to endanger health, person, and property.

NOW, THEREFORE, you are commanded forthwith to arrest the above named person, and take ~~him~~ before a Judge of the Superior Court of the said County of Nevada, for an examination on said charge of insanity;

And I hereby direct that a copy of this warrant, together with a copy of said affidavit, be delivered to said George H. Byrne at the time of ~~his~~ arrest; and I further direct that this warrant may be served at any hour of the night.

WITNESS my hand, this 17th day of September, 1902

F. J. Nilon
Judge of the Superior Court.

I hereby certify that I received the above warrant of arrest on the 17th day of September, 1902, and served the said warrant by arresting the said George H. Byrne, alleged to be insane, and bringing him before F. J. Nilon, Judge of the Superior Court of said County of Nevada, on the 17th day of September, 1902; and I further certify that I delivered a copy of said warrant of arrest, together with a copy of the affidavit of insanity, as directed in said warrant, personally to said George H. Byrne, at the time of the arrest.

C.W. Long.
Constable Meadow Lake Tp.,
Nevada Co., California.

Order Fixing Time for Hearing.

In the Superior Court, County of Nevada, State of California.

In the Matter of the Alleged Insanity of
George H. Byrne

The above named George H. Byrne, having been brought before me under a warrant of arrest, charged with being insane, it is hereby ordered that said George H. Byrne appear before me on the 17th day of September, 1902, at two o'clock, P. M., for an examination and hearing on said charge, and that he be committed to the custody of the Sheriff of said Nevada County

until said examination and hearing is had.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be personally served on said George H. Byrne before said examination and hearing.

Dated this 17th day of September, 1902.

F. J. Nilon
Judge of the Superior Court.

State of California,
COUNTY OF Nevada } ss.

I hereby certify that I received the within order for hearing on the 17th day of September, 1902 and served the same on George H. Byrne, the alleged insane person named therein, at Nevada City, County of Nevada, State of California, on the 17th day of September, 1902, by delivering to said, George H. Byrne personally, a copy of said order for hearing. And I further certify that said alleged insane person is now in the care and custody of myself

Dated September 17th, 1902.

C.W. Long
Constable Meadow Lake Tp., Nev. Co., Cal.

Exhibit "A."

Medical examination of George H. Byrne, *charged with insanity. Must be filled out by two reputable physicians, graduates in medicine, who should answer every question as fully as possible.*

State of California,
COUNTY OF Nevada } ss.

Statement of Facts.

1. Name, Geo. H. Byrne alleged insane person, resides at Truckee County of Nevada; Age, 26 years; Nativity, California U.S.A.; If foreign born, how long in United States, —; How long in California, Since birth; Sex, Male; Place from which he came to this State, —; Color, White; Occupation, Engineer Religious belief, Protestant; Education—~~illiterate, reads only,~~ common school, ~~academic, collegiate, or unknown~~. (*Strike out words not required.*) Civil condition—~~single~~, married, ~~widowed, divorced.~~ (*Strike out words not required.*) If female and married, give maiden name, —; Give maiden name of mother, —; Number of children: Living, One; Dead, —

2. Has either parent been addicted to the use of opium, cocaine, tobacco, or alcoholic beverages to excess, or other stimulating narcotics? No

3. Have any relatives been eccentric or peculiar in any way in their habits or pursuits? No. If so, how? —

Have any relatives, direct or collateral, suffered, or are they suffering, from any form of chronic disease, such as consumption or tuberculosis, syphilis, rheumatism, neuralgia, hysteria, or nervousness, or had epilepsy or falling sickness? No

4. Which parent does alleged insane person resemble mentally, Mother Physically Mother. Habits (cleanly or uncleanly), Cleanly

(*a*) What degree of intelligence does he possess in comparison with other members of the family? Same

(*b*) Has alleged insane person normally any eccentricity or peculiarity in manner, speech or action? Yes.

(*c*) Has alleged insane person ever been addicted to masturbation or sexual excesses? No. If so, for how long? —

(*d*) Has alleged insane person ever had convulsions? No. If so, when did he have the first one? — When the last one? —

(*e*) Had alleged insane person any severe disease, accompanied by prolonged high temperature or convulsions, during the first two years of life, or afterwards? Typhoid Fever, 2 mos ago.

(*f*) State alleged insane person's habits as to use of liquor, tobacco, opium, or other drugs, and whether excessive or moderate? Used liquor & tobacco excessively up to last July.

(*g*) What is alleged insane person's natural disposition or temperament, and mental capacity?

5. Has alleged insane person insane relatives? No If so, state the degree of consanguinity and whether paternal or maternal, —

6. Has alleged insane person any peculiarities of temper or disposition, making him different from other members of the family? Yes

7. What is alleged insane person's general physical condition? Good.

8. Specify any disease of which alleged insane person has suffered, or does suffer, or any injury received, Typhoid Fever

9. Has alleged insane person ever been an inmate of an institution for the insane? No. If so, state when, —
Where, —. How long an inmate, —
Whether discharged recovered, or otherwise, —

(*a*) Number of previous attacks, —

(*b*) Dates of previous attacks, —

(*c*) Length of time each previous attack lasted, —

10. Present attack began, One month ago

(*a*) Was the present attack gradual or rapid in its onset? gradual.

(*b*) When was any change in his habits, conversation, or mode of living first noticed? After recovery from typhoid fever.

(*c*) Give progress of development of the disease from the date of first manifestation to present time Gradually increasing

11. Is alleged insane person ~~noisy~~, restless, ~~violent~~, dangerous, ~~destructive~~, ~~incendiary~~, excited or ~~depressed~~, homicidal or ~~suicidal~~? (If either homicide or suicide has been attempted or threatened, it should be so stated.) Has threatened to kill members of the family

12. Age when menses appeared, —

(*a*) Amount and character before insanity appeared, —

(*b*) Since insanity appeared, —

(*c*) Has menstruation been painful? —. Is it now painful? —

13. Has the change of life taken place? —

(*a*) Was it gradual or sudden? —

(*b*) Give symptoms, —

(*c*) How changed from normal, —

14. Memory, Good

(*a*) Sleep, Bad

(*b*) Headache or neuralgia, None

(*c*) Constipation or indigestion, None

15. What is the supposed cause of insanity?—Predisposing, Excessive use of tobacco & liquor followed by Keeley Cure

Exciting, Typhoid fever

Facts indicating insanity, personally observed by me, as follows: The alleged insane person said (state what the alleged insane person said, if anything, in presence of the examiners): Nothing

The alleged insane person (state what the alleged insane person did in presence of the examiners, and also describe his or her appearance and manner) Nothing. Guarded in his manner.

Other facts indicating insanity, including those communicated to me by others, as follows: (State what, if any, significant change there has been in the alleged insane person's disposition, mental condition, business or social habits, or bodily health) Says he is full of electricity, afraid to shake hands with friends for fear of shocking them.

Illusions, None

Hallucinations (whether of sight, hearing, taste, or smell), None

Delusions (character of; are they fixed or changeable), That he is full of electricity. Fixed.

What treatment has been pursued (state remedies given, and whether given hypodermically or not), None.

Whether patient has been restrained by muff, belt or otherwise, No

DIAGNOSIS, Monomania

Name and address of correspondent, Mrs Maggie Byrne. Truckee Calif

Telegraphic address, Same.

Relationship of correspondent to alleged insane person, Wife

That the facts stated and information contained in this exhibit are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Dated Nevada City Sept 17th, 1902.

A. W. Tucker, M. D.

C. L. Mullen, M. D.

Physician's Certificate of Insanity.

In the Superior Court, State of California, in and for the County of Nevada

A. H. Dickell M.D.

C. L. Muller M.D, being duly sworn, depose and say, and certify, each for himself, and not one for the other, that he is a graduate in medicine; that at the request and in the presence of the Hon. F. T. Nelson Judge of the Superior Court in and for the State of California, County of Nevada, he has heard the testimony, and carefully and personally examined the said George H Byrne, in reference to the charge of insanity, in the manner and with the results set forth in the medical examination hereto annexed and marked Exhibit "A", and made a part hereof; and finds that said George H. Byrne is insane, and is so far disordered in h... mind as to endanger health, life, person, or property, and that the condition of said George H Byrne is such as to require care and treatment in a hospital or asylum for the care, custody, and treatment of the insane; that said testimony was taken in the presence of said insane person; that the insanity of said George H Byrne is not a case of idiocy, imbecility, simple feebleness of mind, a case of acute mania a potu, of harmless chronic mental unsoundness, or of epilepsy.

We recommend that said George H Byrne be confined in a hospital or asylum for the care, custody, and treatment of the insane.

A. W. McKee, M. D.

C. L. Muller, M. D.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 17th day of September, 1902

J. L. Arbogast

County Clerk Nevada Co Cal

Judgment of Insanity and Commitment of Insane Person.

In the Superior Court, State of California, in and for the County of Nevada.

IN THE MATTER
—OF—
George H. Byrne
AN ALLEGED INSANE PERSON.

George H. Byrne, the person named in the foregoing affidavit, being this day brought before me, Judge of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada for a hearing and examination on a charge of insanity as set forth in the said affidavit or complaint, and a warrant of arrest and notice of said charge of insanity having been duly, regularly, and personally served on h~~im~~, the said George H. Byrne, and said George H. Byrne having been acquainted by me with the nature of said charge, and of h~~is~~ right to a hearing on said charge, and of h~~is~~ right to have witnesses subpœnaed to appear and testify on h~~is~~ behalf, and of h~~is~~ right to be represented by counsel, and either in person or by attorney to examine or cross-examine witnesses at said hearing, and of h~~is~~ right to demand a trial by jury on said charge, and notice of the time and place of said hearing having been duly given to said George H. Byrne, and said George H. Byrne having been present at said hearing, held in open Court, no jury having been demanded by said George H. Byrne, or on h~~is~~ behalf by any person (~~and before a jury demanded by or on behalf of said~~ ———, ~~and duly impaneled and sworn to try said~~ ——— ~~on said charge of insanity~~), and C. W. Long and William McDougald

having been duly sworn and testified as witnesses at said hearing, ~~including~~ both of which witnesses ~~who~~ have been acquainted with said George H. Byrne during the time of h~~is~~ alleged insanity, and the physicians whose certificate that said George H. Byrne is insane is hereto attached and marked Exhibit "A," and said testimony of the witnesses having been taken in the presence of said George H. Byrne, and of the examing physicians whose certificate that said George H. Byrne is insane is hereto attached (~~and said jury having found said ——— to be insane~~), and being further satisfied of the truth of all the matters set forth in said physicians' certificate, and that George H Byrne is insane, and that it is dangerous to life, health, person, and property for said George H. Byrne to be at large, and that the condition of said person is such as to require care and treatment in a hospital or institution for the care, custody, and treatment of the insane,

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED, that said George H. Byrne is insane, and that he be committed to and confined in the Stockton State Hospital, or Asylum, for the insane, at Stockton, Cal.

I hereby direct that D. B. Getchell, Sheriff of the County of Nevada, take and convey said George H. Byrne to the State Hospital or Asylum at Stockton, Cal., to be held and confined therein as an insane person.

And I certify that the sum of Eight and $^{00}/_{100}$ ——— Dollars was found on the person of said patient at the time of his arrest, which the said Sheriff is ordered to deliver to the Medical Superintendent of said institution.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said Superior Court this 17th day of September, 1902.

F. T. Nilon
Judge of the Superior Court.

ATTEST:

F. L. Amboyant
Clerk of the Superior Court.

By ———

State of Financial Ability.

As to the ability of said George H. Byrne to pay for his care and support at the hospital, I find on diligent inquiry that said George H. Byrne is possessed of no or personal real estate ~~of the estimated value~~ of except as herein before stated. ~~situate in~~ ~~and of the following description~~:

~~also the following described personal property~~:

~~That the income of said property is as follows~~:

That said George H. Byrne's mother is able to pay the sum of fifteen dollars per month for his care and support at the Stockton State Hospital.
~~Name and address of guardian residing~~

Or—

That said George H. Byrne has *relatives as follows:

Mrs Maggie Byrne, wife,
residing at Truckee, California.
Mrs Annie Byrne, mother,
residing at Truckee, Cal.
Charles Byrne, brother,
residing at No 8. Battery Street, San Francisco, Cal.

That said ~~relatives are~~ mother of George H. Byrne is financially able to pay for the care and support of said George H. Byrne at the hospital the sum of fifteen dollars per month.

Dated September 17th, 1902.

F. T. Nilon
Judge of Superior Court.

*NOTE—Article III Section 6th, California Insanity Law, approved March 31, 1897: Liability for the care, support and treatment of the insane other than the poor and indigent; The father, mother, husband, wife or children of an insane person, if of sufficient ability, and the guardian of his person and estate, if his estate is sufficient for the purpose, shall cause him to be properly and suitably cared for and maintained.

In the Superior Court

Of ~~.....~~ County of Nevada

State of California.

Affidavit of Insanity.

In the Matter of Mrs Mary McCabe, an Alleged Insane Person.

State of California,
COUNTY OF Nevada } ss.

R. J. Ronchi, being duly sworn, deposes and says that there is now in said county, in ~~the city or town of~~ Nevada Township, a person named Mrs Mary McCabe, who is insane, and is so far disordered in mind as to endanger ~~his or~~ her health and person, or to endanger or cause the destruction of the property of ~~himself or~~ herself, or of others, or to endanger the lives of other persons, and that she, at Nevada Township in said county, ~~on the ~~ day of ~~ 190~~, threatened and attempted (state actions, etc.)~~ during the last two months has acted in a violent and irrational manner. She talks incoherently and cannot carry a subject of conversation in her mind for more than a minute. She is violently abusive to the other patients in the county hospital, and has frequently threatened the lives of other inmates of said institution.

That, by reason of said insanity, said person is dangerous to be at large.

WHEREFORE, affiant prays that such action may be had as the law requires in the cases of persons who are so far disordered in mind as to endanger health, person, and property.

R. J. Ronchi

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 18th day of September 1902.

F. T. Nilon
Judge of the Superior Court.

Order of Arrest.

In the Superior Court, County of Nevada, State of California.

IN THE MATTER OF

Mrs Mary McCabe

AN ALLEGED INSANE PERSON.

The People of the State of California, to any Sheriff, Constable, Marshal, Policeman, or Peace Officer in this State:

The affidavit of R. J. Ronchi, having been presented this day to me, F. T. Nilon, Judge of the Superior Court in and for the ~~ ~~, County of Nevada State of California, from which it appears that there is now in this county, at Nevada Township, a person by the name of Mrs Mary McCabe, who is insane, and who is so disordered in mind as to endanger her own health, person, and property (or the person, lives, and property of others), and that it is dangerous for said person to be at large;

And it satisfactorily appearing to me that said Mrs Mary McCabe is insane, and so far disordered in her mind as to endanger health, person, and property.

NOW, THEREFORE, you are commanded forthwith to arrest the above named person, and take her before a Judge of the Superior Court of the said County of Nevada, for an examination on said charge of insanity;

And I hereby direct that a copy of this warrant, together with a copy of said affidavit, be delivered to said Mrs Mary McCabe at the time of her arrest; and I further direct that this warrant may be served at any hour of the night.

WITNESS my hand, this 18th day of September, 1902

F. T. Nilon
Judge of the Superior Court

I hereby certify that I received the above warrant of arrest on the 18th day of September, 1902, and served the said warrant by arresting the said Mrs Mary McCabe, alleged to be insane, and bringing her before F. J. Nilon, Judge of the Superior Court of said County of Nevada, on the 19th day of September, 1902; and I further certify that I delivered a copy of said warrant of arrest, together with a copy of the affidavit of insanity, as directed in said warrant, personally to said Mrs Mary McCabe, at the time of the arrest.

D. B. Getchell
Sheriff of the County of Nevada.

Order Fixing Time for Hearing.

In the Superior Court, County of Nevada, State of California.

In the Matter of the Alleged Insanity of
Mrs Mary McCabe

The above named Mrs Mary McCabe, having been brought before me under a warrant of arrest, charged with being insane, it is hereby ordered that said Mrs Mary McCabe appear before me on the 19th day of September, 1902., at three o'clock, P. M., for an examination and hearing on said charge, and that she be committed to the custody of the Sheriff of said Nevada County until said examination and hearing is had.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be personally served on said Mrs Mary McCabe before said examination and hearing.

Dated this 19th day of September, 1902.

F. J. Nilon
Judge of the Superior Court.

State of California,
COUNTY OF Nevada } ss.

I hereby certify that I received the within order for hearing on the 19th day of September, 1902. and served the same on Mrs Mary McCabe, the alleged insane person named therein, at Nevada City, County of Nevada, State of California, on the 19th day of September, 1902., by delivering to said, Mrs Mary McCabe personally, a copy of said order for hearing. And I further certify that said alleged insane person is now in the care and custody of the Sheriff of Nevada County

Dated September 19th, 1902.

D B Getchell
Sheriff of the County of Nevada.

Exhibit "A."

Medical examination of Mrs Mary McCabe, *charged with insanity. Must be filled out by two reputable physicians, graduates in medicine, who should answer every question as fully as possible.*

State of California,
COUNTY OF Nevada } ss.

Statement of Facts.

1. Name, Mrs Mary McCabe alleged insane person, resides at Co Hosp. County of Nevada; Age, About 65 years; Nativity, Ireland; If foreign born, how long in United States, 55 yrs; How long in California, 24 yrs; Sex, Female; Place from which she came to this State, Mass.; Color, White; Occupation, none Religious belief, Catholic; Education—~~illiterate,~~ reads only, ~~common school, academic, collegiate, or unknown.~~ (*Strike out words not required.*) Civil condition—~~single,~~ ~~married,~~ widowed, ~~divorced.~~ (*Strike out words not required.*) If female and married, give maiden name, Mary O'Shea; Give maiden name of mother, Margaret O'Connor; Number of children: Living, 4; Dead, 9

2. Has either parent been addicted to the use of opium, cocaine, tobacco, or alcoholic beverages to excess, or other stimulating narcotics? No

3. Have any relatives been eccentric or peculiar in any way in their habits or pursuits? Do not know If so, how? —

Have any relatives, direct or collateral, suffered, or are they suffering, from any form of chronic disease, such as consumption or tuberculosis, syphilis, rheumatism, neuralgia, hysteria, or nervousness, or had epilepsy or falling sickness? No.

4. Which parent does alleged insane person resemble mentally, Do not know Physically Do not know. Habits (cleanly or uncleanly), Cleanly.

(*a*) What degree of intelligence does she possess in comparison with other members of the family? Do not know

(*b*) Has alleged insane person normally any eccentricity or peculiarity in manner, speech or action? Do not know

(*c*) Has alleged insane person ever been addicted to masturbation or sexual excesses? Do not know If so, for how long? —

(*d*) Has alleged insane person ever had convulsions? No. If so, when did she have the first one? — When the last one? —

(*e*) Had alleged insane person any severe disease, accompanied by prolonged high temperature or convulsions, during the first two years of life, or afterwards? Do not know

(*f*) State alleged insane person's habits as to use of liquor, tobacco, opium, or other drugs, and whether excessive or moderate? Use liquor to excess.

(*g*) What is alleged insane person's natural disposition or temperament, and mental capacity? Do not know

5. Has alleged insane person insane relatives? No If so, state the degree of consanguinity and whether paternal or maternal, —

6. Has alleged insane person any peculiarities of temper or disposition, making her different from other members of the family? Do not know

7. What is alleged insane person's general physical condition? Good.

8. Specify any disease of which alleged insane person has suffered, or does suffer, or any injury received, Do not know

9. Has alleged insane person ever been an inmate of an institution for the insane? No. If so, state when, —

Where, —. How long an inmate, —

Whether discharged recovered, or otherwise, —

(*a*) Number of previous attacks, —

(*b*) Dates of previous attacks, —

(*c*) Length of time each previous attack lasted, —

10. Present attack began, 5 or 6 mos. ago

(*a*) Was the present attack gradual or rapid in its onset? gradual

(*b*) When was any change in her habits, conversation, or mode of living first noticed? 5 or 6 mos ago.

(*c*) Give progress of development of the disease from the date of first manifestation to present time. increasing

11. Is alleged insane person noisy, restless, violent, dangerous, destructive, incendiary, excited or depressed, homicidal or suicidal? (If either homicide or suicide has been attempted or threatened, it should be so stated.) Noisy, restless, violent at times dangerous, excited, Threatens to brain others.

12. Age when menses appeared, 14 yrs.

(*a*) Amount and character before insanity appeared, Do not know

(*b*) Since insanity appeared, None.

(*c*) Has menstruation been painful? Do not know. Is it now painful? —

13. Has the change of life taken place? yes.

(*a*) Was it gradual or sudden? Do not know

(*b*) Give symptoms, —

(*c*) How changed from normal, —

14. Memory, Good.

(*a*) Sleep, No Good.

(*b*) Headache or neuralgia, None.

(*c*) Constipation or indigestion, Constipated

15. What is the supposed cause of insanity?—Predisposing, Excessive use of liquor.

Exciting, Do not know

Facts indicating insanity, personally observed by me, as follows: The alleged insane person said (state what the alleged insane person said, if anything, in presence of the examiners): Talked continually.

The alleged insane person (state what the alleged insane person did in presence of the examiners, and also describe his or her appearance and manner) Continual talk, excited.

Other facts indicating insanity, including those communicated to me by others, as follows: (State what, if any, significant change there has been in the alleged insane person's disposition, mental condition, business or social habits, or bodily health)_____

Testimony of witnesses

Illusions, None

Hallucinations (whether of sight, hearing, taste, or smell), None.

Delusions (character of; are they fixed or changeable), None.

What treatment has been pursued (state remedies given, and whether given hypodermically or not), Bromides.

Whether patient has been restrained by muff, belt or otherwise, No

DIAGNOSIS, Dementia

Name and address of correspondent, Michael J. McCabe Truckee. Calif

Telegraphic address, Same.

Relationship of correspondent to alleged insane person, Son.

That the facts stated and information contained in this exhibit are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Dated September 19th, 190 2.

A. K. Tukey, M. D.

C. L. Muller, M. D.

Physician's Certificate of Insanity.

In the Superior Court, State of California, in and for the County of Nevada

A. H. Tickell & C. L. Muller, and

C. L. Muller, being duly sworn, depose and say, and certify, each for himself, and not one for the other, that he is a graduate in medicine; that at the request and in the presence of the Hon. F. T. Nilon Judge of the Superior Court in and for the State of California, County of Nevada, he has heard the testimony, and carefully and personally examined the said Mrs Mary McCabe, in reference to the charge of insanity, in the manner and with the results set forth in the medical examination hereto annexed and marked Exhibit "A", and made a part hereof; and finds that said Mrs Mary McCabe is insane, and is so far disordered in her mind as to endanger health, life, person, or property, and that the condition of said Mrs Mary McCabe is such as to require care and treatment in a hospital or asylum for the care, custody, and treatment of the insane; that said testimony was taken in the presence of said insane person; that the insanity of said Mrs Mary McCabe is not a case of idiocy, imbecility, simple feebleness of mind, a case of acute mania a potu, of harmless chronic mental unsoundness, or of epilepsy.

We recommend that said Mrs Mary McCabe be confined in a hospital or asylum for the care, custody, and treatment of the insane.

A. H. Tickell, M. D.

C. L. Muller, M. D.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 19th day of September, 1902

D. L. Arbogast

County Clerk

Nevada Co Cal

Judgment of Insanity and Commitment of Insane Person.

In the Superior Court, State of California, in and for the County of Nevada

IN THE MATTER

—OF—

Mrs Mary Mc Cabe

AN ALLEGED INSANE PERSON.

Mrs Mary Mc Cabe, the person named in the foregoing affidavit, being this day brought before me, Judge of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada for a hearing and examination on a charge of insanity as set forth in the said affidavit or complaint, and a warrant of arrest and notice of said charge of insanity having been duly, regularly, and personally served on her, the said Mrs Mary Mc Cabe, and said Mrs Mary McCabe having been acquainted by me with the nature of said charge, and of her right to a hearing on said charge, and of her right to have witnesses subpœnaed to appear and testify on her behalf, and of her right to be represented by counsel, and either in person or by attorney to examine or cross-examine witnesses at said hearing, and of her right to demand a trial by jury on said charge, and notice of the time and place of said hearing having been duly given to said Mrs Mary Mc Cabe, and said Mrs Mary Mc Cabe having been present at said hearing, held in open Court, no jury having been demanded by said Mrs Mary Mc Cabe, or on her behalf by any person (~~and before a jury demanded by or on behalf of said~~ ~~, and duly impaneled and sworn to try said~~ ~~on said charge of insanity~~), and R. J. Ronchi and George Wheeler

having been duly sworn and testified as witnesses at said hearing, ~~including~~ both of whom

~~witnesses who~~ have been acquainted with said Mrs Mary Mc Cabe during the time of her alleged insanity, and the physicians whose certificate that said Mrs Mary McCabe is insane is hereto attached and marked Exhibit "A," and said testimony of the witnesses having been taken in the presence of said Mrs Mary Mc Cabe and of the examing physicians whose certificate that said Mrs Mary Mc Cabe is insane is hereto attached (~~and said jury having found said ~~ ~~to be insane~~), and being further satisfied of the truth of all the matters set forth in said physicians' certificate, and that Mrs Mary Mc Cabe is insane, and that it is dangerous to life, health, person, and property for said Mrs Mary Mc Cabe to be at large, and that the condition of said person is such as to require care and treatment in a hospital or institution for the care, custody, and treatment of the insane,

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED, that said Mrs Mary McCabe is insane, and that she be committed to and confined in the Stockton State Hospital, or Asylum, for the insane, at Stockton, Cal.

I hereby direct that D. Blethell, Sheriff of the County of Nevada, take and convey said Mrs Mary McCabe to the State Hospital or Asylum at Stockton, Cal., to be held and confined therein as an insane person.

And I certify that the sum of two and 50/100 Dollars was found on the person of said patient at the time of her arrest, which the said Sheriff is ordered to deliver to the Medical Superintendent of said institution.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said Superior Court this 19th day of September, 1902.

F. T. Wilson
Judge of the Superior Court.

ATTEST:

D. L. Arbegast
Clerk of the Superior Court.

By

State of Financial Ability.

As to the ability of said Mrs Mary McCabe to pay for her care and support at the hospital, I find on diligent inquiry that said Mrs Mary McCabe is possessed of real or personal estate ~~of the estimated value of~~ except as above stated. ~~situate in~~ ~~and of the following description~~:

~~also the following described personal property~~:

~~That the income of said property is as follows~~:

That said Mrs Mary McCabe is not able to pay ~~the sum of~~ any sum per month for her care and support at the Stockton State Hospital.
Name and address of guardian residing

Or—
That said Mrs Mary McCabe has *relatives as follows:
Michael J. McCabe, son
residing at Truckee, Cal.
Patrick McCabe, son,
residing at Truckee, Cal.
Frank McCabe, son,
residing at Truckee, Cal., & Mrs J. W. Browning, daughter, residing at Truckee, Cal.

That said relatives are financially able to pay for the care and support of said Mrs Mary McCabe ~~at the hospital the~~ any sum of money per month.

Dated September 19th, 1902.

F. T. Wilson
Judge of Superior Court.

*NOTE—Article III Section 6th, California Insanity Law, approved March 31, 1897: Liability for the care, support and treatment of the insane other than the poor and indigent; The father, mother, husband, wife or children of an insane person, if of sufficient ability, and the guardian of his person and estate, if his estate is sufficient for the purpose, shall cause him to be properly and suitably cared for and maintained.

In the Superior Court

Of ——— County of Nevada

State of California.

Affidavit of Insanity.

In the Matter of F. B. Volquartz, an Alleged Insane Person.

State of California,
COUNTY OF Nevada } ss.

C. W. Long, being duly sworn, deposes and says that there is now in said county, in ~~the city or town of~~ Truckee Nevada City, a person named F. B. Volquartz, who is insane, and is so far disordered in mind as to endanger his ~~or her~~ health and person, or to endanger or cause the destruction of the property of himself ~~or herself~~, or of others, or to endanger the lives of other persons, and that he, at Truckee in said county, on the 27th day of September 1902, ~~threatened and attempted~~ (state actions, etc.) acted in an irrational manner, and declared that he was guilty of crime and that innocent parties were being prosecuted in his stead. He

That, by reason of said insanity, said person is dangerous to be at large.

WHEREFORE, affiant prays that such action may be had as the law requires in the cases of persons who are so far disordered in mind as to endanger health, person, and property.

C. W. Long.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 27th day of September 1902

F. J. Nilon
Judge of the Superior Court

Order of Arrest.

In the Superior Court, County of Nevada, State of California.

IN THE MATTER OF

F. B. Volquartz

AN ALLEGED INSANE PERSON.

The People of the State of California, to any Sheriff, Constable, Marshal, Policeman, or Peace Officer in this State:

The affidavit of C. W. Long, having been presented this day to me, F. J. Nilon, Judge of the Superior Court in and for the ——————————, County of Nevada State of California, from which it appears that there is now in this county, at Nevada City, a person by the name of F. B. Volquartz, who is insane, and who is so disordered in mind as to endanger his own health, person, and property (or the person, lives, and property of others), and that it is dangerous for said person to be at large;

And it satisfactorily appearing to me that said F. B. Volquartz is insane, and so far disordered in his mind as to endanger health, person, and property.

NOW, THEREFORE, you are commanded forthwith to arrest the above named person, and take him before a Judge of the Superior Court of the said County of Nevada, for an examination on said charge of insanity;

And I hereby direct that a copy of this warrant, together with a copy of said affidavit, be delivered to said F. B. Volquartz at the time of his arrest; and I further direct that this warrant may be served at any hour of the night.

WITNESS my hand, this 29th day of September, 1902

F. J. Nilon,
Judge of the Superior Court.

I hereby certify that I received the above warrant of arrest on the 29th day of September, 1902, and served the said warrant by arresting the said F. B. Volquartz, alleged to be insane, and bringing h.m. before F. J. Nilon, Judge of the Superior Court of said County of Nevada, on the 29th day of September, 1902; and I further certify that I delivered a copy of said warrant of arrest, together with a copy of the affidavit of insanity, as directed in said warrant, personally to said F. B. Volquartz, at the time of the arrest.

Order Fixing Time for Hearing.

In the Superior Court, County of Nevada, State of California.

In the Matter of the Alleged Insanity of
F. B. Volquartz

The above named F. B. Volquartz, having been brought before me under a warrant of arrest, charged with being insane, it is hereby ordered that said F. B. Volquartz appear before me on the 29th day of September, 1902., at four o'clock, P. M., for an examination and hearing on said charge, and that he be committed to the custody of the Sheriff of said Nevada County until said examination and hearing is had.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be personally served on said F. B. Volquartz before said examination and hearing.

Dated this 29th day of September, 1902

F. J. Nilon
Judge of the Superior Court.

State of California,
COUNTY OF Nevada } ss.

I hereby certify that I received the within order for hearing on the 29th day of September, 1902 and served the same on F. B. Volquartz, the alleged insane person named therein, at Nevada City, County of Nevada, State of California, on the 29th day of September, 1902., by delivering to said, F. B. Volquartz personally, a copy of said order for hearing. And I further certify that said alleged insane person is now in the care and custody of the Sheriff of said Nevada County

Dated September 29th, 1902.

F. J. Nilon

Exhibit "A."

Medical examination of Fritz B Volquartz, *charged with insanity. Must be filled out by two reputable physicians, graduates in medicine, who should answer every question as fully as possible.*

State of California,
COUNTY OF Nevada } ss.

Statement of Facts.

1. Name, Fritz B. Volquartz alleged insane person, resides at ..... County of .....; Age, ... years; Nativity, ...; If foreign born, how long in United States, ...; How long in California, ...; Sex, ...; Place from which he came to this State, ...; Color, ...; Occupation, ... Religious belief, ...; Education—illiterate, reads only, common school, academic, collegiate, or unknown. (*Strike out words not required.*) Civil condition—single, married, widowed, divorced. (*Strike out words not required.*) If female and married, give maiden name, ...; Give maiden name of mother, ...; Number of children: Living, ...; Dead, ...

2. Has either parent been addicted to the use of opium, cocaine, tobacco, or alcoholic beverages to excess, or other stimulating narcotics?

3. Have any relatives been eccentric or peculiar in any way in their habits or pursuits? If so, how?

Have any relatives, direct or collateral, suffered, or are they suffering, from any form of chronic disease, such as consumption or tuberculosis, syphilis, rheumatism, neuralgia, hysteria, or nervousness, or had epilepsy or falling sickness?

4. Which parent does alleged insane person resemble mentally, Physically. Habits (cleanly or uncleanly),

(*a*) What degree of intelligence does he possess in comparison with other members of the family?

(*b*) Has alleged insane person normally any eccentricity or peculiarity in manner, speech or action?

(*c*) Has alleged insane person ever been addicted to masturbation or sexual excesses? If so, for how long?

(*d*) Has alleged insane person ever had convulsions? If so, when did he have the first one? When the last one?

(*e*) Had alleged insane person any severe disease, accompanied by prolonged high temperature or convulsions, during the first two years of life, or afterwards?

(*f*) State alleged insane person's habits as to use of liquor, tobacco, opium, or other drugs, and whether excessive or moderate?

(*g*) What is alleged insane person's natural disposition or temperament, and mental capacity?

5. Has alleged insane person insane relatives? If so, state the degree of consanguinity and whether paternal or maternal,

6. Has alleged insane person any peculiarities of temper or disposition, making h different from other members of the family?

7. What is alleged insane person's general physical condition?

8. Specify any disease of which alleged insane person has suffered, or does suffer, or any injury received,

9. Has alleged insane person ever been an inmate of an institution for the insane? If so, state when,
Where, . How long an inmate,
Whether discharged recovered, or otherwise,

(*a*) Number of previous attacks,

(*b*) Dates of previous attacks,

(*c*) Length of time each previous attack lasted,

10. Present attack began,

(*a*) Was the present attack gradual or rapid in its onset?

(*b*) When was any change in h habits, conversation, or mode of living first noticed?

(*c*) Give progress of development of the disease from the date of first manifestation to present time

11. Is alleged insane person noisy, restless, violent, dangerous, destructive, incendiary, excited or depressed, homicidal or suicidal? (If either homicide or suicide has been attempted or threatened, it should be so stated.)

12. Age when menses appeared,

(*a*) Amount and character before insanity appeared,

(*b*) Since insanity appeared,

(*c*) Has menstruation been painful? Is it now painful?

13. Has the change of life taken place?

(*a*) Was it gradual or sudden?

(*b*) Give symptoms,

(*c*) How changed from normal,

14. Memory,

(*a*) Sleep,

(*b*) Headache or neuralgia,

(*c*) Constipation or indigestion,

15. What is the supposed cause of insanity?—Predisposing,

Exciting,

Facts indicating insanity, personally observed by me, as follows: The alleged insane person said (state what the alleged insane person said, if anything, in presence of the examiners):

The alleged insane person (state what the alleged insane person did in presence of the examiners, and also describe his or her appearance and manner)

Other facts indicating insanity, including those communicated to me by others, as follows: (State what, if any, significant change there has been in the alleged insane person's disposition, mental condition, business or social habits, or bodily health)

Illusions,

Hallucinations (whether of sight, hearing, taste, or smell),

Delusions (character of; are they fixed or changeable),

What treatment has been pursued (state remedies given, and whether given hypodermically or not),

Whether patient has been restrained by muff, belt or otherwise,

DIAGNOSIS,

Name and address of correspondent,

Telegraphic address,

Relationship of correspondent to alleged insane person,

That the facts stated and information contained in this exhibit are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Dated , 190....

, M. D.

, M. D.

Physician's Certificate of Insanity.

In the Superior Court, State of California, in and for the County of .....

....., and .....

....., being duly sworn, depose and say, and certify, each for himself, and not one for the other, that he is a graduate in medicine; that at the request and in the presence of the Hon. ..... Judge of the Superior Court in and for the State of California, County of ....., he has heard the testimony, and carefully and personally examined the said .....

....., in reference to the charge of insanity, in the manner and with the results set forth in the medical examination hereto annexed and marked Exhibit "A", and made a part hereof; and finds that said .....is insane, and is so far disordered in h....mind as to endanger health, life, person, or property, and that the condition of said .....is such as to require care and treatment in a hospital or asylum for the care, custody, and treatment of the insane; that said testimony was taken in the presence of said insane person; that the insanity of said .....is not a case of idiocy, imbecility, simple feebleness of mind, a case of acute mania a potu, of harmless chronic mental unsoundness, or of epilepsy.

We recommend that said ..... be confined in a hospital or asylum for the care, custody, and treatment of the insane.

....., M. D.

....., M. D.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this .....day of ....., 190.....

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Judgment of Insanity and Commitment of Insane Person.

In the Superior Court, State of California, in and for the County of .....

IN THE MATTER

—OF—

.....

AN ALLEGED INSANE PERSON.

....., the person named in the foregoing affidavit, being this day brought before me, Judge of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of ..... for a hearing and examination on a charge of insanity as set forth in the said affidavit or complaint, and a warrant of arrest and notice of said charge of insanity having been duly, regularly, and personally served on h....., the said .....

....., and said .....having been acquainted by me with the nature of said charge, and of h....right to a hearing on said charge, and of h....right to have witnesses subpœnaed to appear and testify on h....behalf, and of h....right to be represented by counsel, and either in person or by attorney to examine or cross-examine witnesses at said hearing, and of h....right to demand a trial by jury on said charge, and notice of the time and place of said hearing having been duly given to said....., and said .....having been present at said hearing, held in open Court, no jury having been demanded by said....., or on h....behalf by any person (and before a jury demanded by or on behalf of said....., and duly impaneled and sworn to try said .....

.....on said charge of insanity), and .....

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having been duly sworn and testified as witnesses at said hearing, including .....

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witnesses who have been acquainted with said .....during the time of h....alleged insanity, and the physicians whose certificate that said .....is insane is hereto attached and marked Exhibit "A," and said testimony of the witnesses having been taken in the presence of said .....

.....and of the examing physicians whose certificate that said .....

is insane is hereto attached (and said jury having found said .....to be insane), and being further satisfied of the truth of all the matters set forth in said physicians' certificate, and that .....

.....is insane, and that it is dangerous to life, health, person, and property for said .....

.....to be at large, and that the condition of said person is such as to require care and treatment in a hospital or institution for the care, custody, and treatment of the insane,

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED, that said .....
.....is insane, and that....he be committed to and confined in the.....
State Hospital, or Asylum, for the insane, at.....
I hereby direct that....., Sheriff of the County of.....
....., take and convey said.....
to the State Hospital or Asylum at....., to be held and confined therein as an insane person.
And I certify that the sum of ....Dollars was found on the person of said patient at the time of h....arrest, which the said Sheriff is ordered to deliver to the Medical Superintendent of said institution.
WITNESS my hand and the seal of said Superior Court this.....day of....., 190....

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Judge of the Superior Court.

ATTEST:

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Clerk of the Superior Court.

By.....

State of Financial Ability.

As to the ability of said.....to pay for h....care and support at the hospital, I find on diligent inquiry that said.....is possessed of real estate of the estimated value of ..... situate in.....
and of the following description:.....
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also the following described personal property:.....
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That the income of said property is as follows:.....
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That said.....is able to pay the sum of.....
per month for h....care and support at the.....
Name and address of guardian residing.....
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Or—

That said.....has *relatives as follows:.....
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residing at.....
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residing at.....
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residing at.....
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That said relatives are financially able to pay for the care and support of said.....
at the hospital the sum of.....per month.

Dated....., 190....

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Judge of Superior Court.

* NOTE—Article III Section 6th, California Insanity Law, approved March 31, 1897: Liability for the care, support and treatment of the insane other than the poor and indigent; The father, mother, husband, wife or children of an insane person, if of sufficient ability, and the guardian of his person and estate, if his estate is sufficient for the purpose, shall cause him to be properly and suitably cared for and maintained.

In the Superior Court

Of County of Nevada

State of California.

Affidavit of Insanity.

In the Matter of Jack Gill, an Alleged Insane Person.

State of California,
COUNTY OF Nevada } ss.

J. F. Harvey, being duly sworn, deposes and says that there is now in said county, in the city or town of Truckee, a person named Jack Gill, who is insane, and is so far disordered in mind as to endanger his or her health and person, or to endanger or cause the destruction of the property of himself or herself, or of others, or to endanger the lives of other persons, and that he, at Truckee in said county, on the 21st day of October 1907, threatened and attempted (state actions, etc.) he acts and talks in an irrational manner,

That, by reason of said insanity, said person is dangerous to be at large.

WHEREFORE, affiant prays that such action may be had as the law requires in the cases of persons who are so far disordered in mind as to endanger health, person, and property.

J. F. Harvey

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 24 day of October 1907

Order of Arrest.

In the Court, County of, State of California.

IN THE MATTER OF

AN ALLEGED INSANE PERSON.

The People of the State of California, to any Sheriff, Constable, Marshal, Policeman, or Peace Officer in this State:

The affidavit of, having been presented this day to me,

, County of

State of California, from which it appears that there is now in this county, at, a person by the name of, who is insane, and who is so disordered in mind as to endanger h.... own health, person, and property (or the person, lives, and property of others), and that it is dangerous for said person to be at large;

And it satisfactorily appearing to me that said is insane, and so far disordered in h.... mind as to endanger health, person, and property.

NOW, THEREFORE, you are commanded forthwith to arrest the above named person, and take h.... before a Judge of the Superior Court of the said County of, for an examination on said charge of insanity;

And I hereby direct that a copy of this warrant, together with a copy of said affidavit, be delivered to said at the time of h.... arrest; and I further direct that this warrant may be served at any hour of the night.

WITNESS my hand, this day of, 190....

I hereby certify that I received the above warrant of arrest on the ..... day of ....., 190...., and served the said warrant by arresting the said ....., alleged to be insane, and bringing h ... ... before ....., Judge of the Superior Court of said County of ....., on the ..... day of ....., 190... ; and I further certify that I delivered a copy of said warrant of arrest, together with a copy of the affidavit of insanity, as directed in said warrant, personally to said ....., at the time of the arrest.

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Order Fixing Time for Hearing.

In the Superior Court, County of ....., State of California.

In the Matter of the Alleged Insanity of

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The above named ....., having been brought before me under a warrant of arrest, charged with being insane, it is hereby ordered that said ..... appear before me on the ..... day of ....., 190...., at ..... o'clock, ... M., for an examination and hearing on said charge, and that ....he be committed to the custody of the Sheriff of said .....

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until said examination and hearing is had.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be personally served on said ..... before said examination and hearing.

Dated this ..... day of ....., 190....

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Judge of the Superior Court.

State of California,

COUNTY OF ..... } *ss.*

I hereby certify that I received the within order for hearing on the ..... day of ...., 190.... and served the same on ....., the alleged insane person named therein, at ....., County of ....., State of California, on the ..... day of ....., 190...., by delivering to said, ... personally, a copy of said order for hearing. And I further certify that said alleged insane person is now in the care and custody of .....

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Dated ....., 190....

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Exhibit "A."

Medical examination of ....., charged with insanity. Must be filled out by two reputable physicians, graduates in medicine, who should answer every question as fully as possible.

State of California,

..... } *ss.*

COUNTY OF .....

Statement of Facts.

1. Name, ... alleged insane person, resides at ..... County of ....; Age, ... years; Nativity, ...; If foreign born, how long in United States, ...; How long in California, ...; Sex, ...; Place from which ....he came to this State, ...; Color, ...; Occupation, ... Religious belief, ...; Education—illiterate, reads only, common school, academic, collegiate, or unknown. (*Strike out words not required.*) Civil condition—single, married, widowed, divorced. (*Strike out words not required.*) If female and married, give maiden name, ...; Give maiden name of mother, ...; Number of children: Living, ...; Dead, ...

2. Has either parent been addicted to the use of opium, cocaine, tobacco, or alcoholic beverages to excess, or other stimulating narcotics? .....

3. Have any relatives been eccentric or peculiar in any way in their habits or pursuits? ..... If so, how? .....

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.....

Have any relatives, direct or collateral, suffered, or are they suffering, from any form of chronic disease, such as consumption or tuberculosis, syphilis, rheumatism, neuralgia, hysteria, or nervousness, or had epilepsy or falling sickness? .....

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4. Which parent does alleged insane person resemble mentally, ...
Physically ..... Habits (cleanly or uncleanly), ...

(*a*) What degree of intelligence does ....he possess in comparison with other members of the family? .....

(*b*) Has alleged insane person normally any eccentricity or peculiarity in manner, speech or action? .....

(*c*) Has alleged insane person ever been addicted to masturbation or sexual excesses? ..... If so, for how long? .....

(*d*) Has alleged insane person ever had convulsions? ..... If so, when did ....he have the first one? .....
..... When the last one? .....

(*e*) Had alleged insane person any severe disease, accompanied by prolonged high temperature or convulsions, during the first two years of life, or afterwards? .....

(*f*) State alleged insane person's habits as to use of liquor, tobacco, opium, or other drugs, and whether excessive or moderate? .....

(*g*) What is alleged insane person's natural disposition or temperament, and mental capacity? .....

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5. Has alleged insane person insane relatives? ..... If so, state the degree of consanguinity and whether paternal or maternal, ...

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6. Has alleged insane person any peculiarities of temper or disposition, making h..... different from other members of the family? .....

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7. What is alleged insane person's general physical condition? .....

8. Specify any disease of which alleged insane person has suffered, or does suffer, or any injury received, ...

.....

9. Has alleged insane person ever been an inmate of an institution for the insane? ..... If so, state when, ...
Where, ... How long an inmate, ...
Whether discharged recovered, or otherwise, ...

(*a*) Number of previous attacks, ...

(*b*) Dates of previous attacks, ...

(*c*) Length of time each previous attack lasted, ...

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10. Present attack began, ...

(*a*) Was the present attack gradual or rapid in its onset? .....

(*b*) When was any change in h..... habits, conversation, or mode of living first noticed? .....

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(*c*) Give progress of development of the disease from the date of first manifestation to present time .....

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11. Is alleged insane person noisy, restless, violent, dangerous, destructive, incendiary, excited or depressed, homicidal or suicidal? (If either homicide or suicide has been attempted or threatened, it should be so stated.) .....

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12. Age when menses appeared, ...

(*a*) Amount and character before insanity appeared, ...

(*b*) Since insanity appeared, ...

(*c*) Has menstruation been painful? ..... Is it now painful? .....

13. Has the change of life taken place? .....

(*a*) Was it gradual or sudden? .....

(*b*) Give symptoms, ...

(*c*) How changed from normal,.....

14. Memory,.....

(*a*) Sleep,.....

(*b*) Headache or neuralgia,.....

(*c*) Constipation or indigestion,.....

15. What is the supposed cause of insanity?—Predisposing,.....

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Exciting,.....

Facts indicating insanity, personally observed by me, as follows: The alleged insane person said (state what the alleged insane person said, if anything, in presence of the examiners):.....

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The alleged insane person (state what the alleged insane person did in presence of the examiners, and also describe his or her appearance and manner).....

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Other facts indicating insanity, including those communicated to me by others, as follows: (State what, if any, significant change there has been in the alleged insane person's disposition, mental condition, business or social habits, or bodily health).....

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Illusions,.....

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Hallucinations (whether of sight, hearing, taste, or smell),.....

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Delusions (character of; are they fixed or changeable),.....

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What treatment has been pursued (state remedies given, and whether given hypodermically or not),.....

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Whether patient has been restrained by muff, belt or otherwise,.....

DIAGNOSIS,.....

Name and address of correspondent,.....

Telegraphic address,.....

Relationship of correspondent to alleged insane person,.....

That the facts stated and information contained in this exhibit are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Dated....., 190....

....., M. D.

....., M. D.

Physician's Certificate of Insanity.

In the Superior Court, State of California, in and for the County of .....

....., and

....., being duly sworn, depose and say, and certify, each for himself, and not one for the other, that he is a graduate in medicine; that at the request and in the presence of the Hon. ..... Judge of the Superior Court in and for the State of California, County of ....., he has heard the testimony, and carefully and personally examined the said .....

....., in reference to the charge of insanity, in the manner and with the results set forth in the medical examination hereto annexed and marked Exhibit "A", and made a part hereof; and finds that said .....is insane, and is so far disordered in h....mind as to endanger health, life, person, or property, and that the condition of said .....is such as to require care and treatment in a hospital or asylum for the care, custody, and treatment of the insane; that said testimony was taken in the presence of said insane person; that the insanity of said .....is not a case of idiocy, imbecility, simple feebleness of mind, a case of acute mania a potu, of harmless chronic mental unsoundness, or of epilepsy.

We recommend that said .....be confined in a hospital or asylum for the care, custody, and treatment of the insane.

....., M. D.

....., M. D.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this .....day of ....., 190.....

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Judgment of Insanity and Commitment of Insane Person.

In the Superior Court, State of California, in and for the County of .....

IN THE MATTER

—OF—

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AN ALLEGED INSANE PERSON.

....., the person named in the foregoing affidavit, being this day brought before me, Judge of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of ..... for a hearing and examination on a charge of insanity as set forth in the said affidavit or complaint, and a warrant of arrest and notice of said charge of insanity having been duly, regularly, and personally served on h....., the said .....

....., and said .....having been acquainted by me with the nature of said charge, and of h....right to a hearing on said charge, and of h....right to have witnesses subpœnaed to appear and testify on h....behalf, and of h....right to be represented by counsel, and either in person or by attorney to examine or cross-examine witnesses at said hearing, and of h....right to demand a trial by jury on said charge, and notice of the time and place of said hearing having been duly given to said....., and said .....having been present at said hearing, held in open Court, no jury having been demanded by said....., or on h....behalf by any person (and before a jury demanded by or on behalf of said....., and duly impaneled and sworn to try said .....

.....on said charge of insanity), and .....

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having been duly sworn and testified as witnesses at said hearing, including .....

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witnesses who have been acquainted with said .....during the time of h....alleged insanity, and the physicians whose certificate that said .....is insane is hereto attached and marked Exhibit "A," and said testimony of the witnesses having been taken in the presence of said .....

.....and of the examing physicians whose certificate that said .....

is insane is hereto attached (and said jury having found said .....to be insane), and being further satisfied of the truth of all the matters set forth in said physicians' certificate, and that .....

.....is insane, and that it is dangerous to life, health, person, and property for said .....

.....to be at large, and that the condition of said person is such as to require care and treatment in a hospital or institution for the care, custody, and treatment of the insane,

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED, that said .....
.....is insane, and that....he be committed to and confined in the.....
State Hospital, or Asylum, for the insane, at.....

I hereby direct that....., Sheriff of the County of.....
....., take and convey said.....
to the State Hospital or Asylum at....., to be held and confined therein as an insane person.

And I certify that the sum of..... .....Dollars was found on the person of said patient at the time of h....arrest, which the said Sheriff is ordered to deliver to the Medical Superintendent of said institution.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said Superior Court this.....day of....., 190....

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Judge of the Superior Court.

ATTEST:

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Clerk of the Superior Court.

By.....

State of Financial Ability.

As to the ability of said.....to pay for h....care and support at the hospital, I find on diligent inquiry that said.....is possessed of real estate of the estimated value of ..... situate in.....
and of the following description:.....

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also the following described personal property:.....

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That the income of said property is as follows:.....

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That said.....is able to pay the sum of.....
per month for h....care and support at the.....
Name and address of guardian residing.....

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Or—

That said.....has *relatives as follows:.....

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residing at.....

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residing at.....

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That said relatives are financially able to pay for the care and support of said.....
at the hospital the sum of.....per month.

Dated....., 190....

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Judge of Superior Court.

* NOTE—Article III Section 6th, California Insanity Law, approved March 31, 1897: Liability for the care, support and treatment of the insane other than the poor and indigent; The father, mother, husband, wife or children of an insane person, if of sufficient ability, and the guardian of his person and estate, if his estate is sufficient for the purpose, shall cause him to be properly and suitably cared for and maintained.

In the Superior Court

Of ~~_____~~ County of Nevada

State of California.

Affidavit of Insanity.

In the Matter of Antone Rondoni, an Alleged Insane Person.

State of California,
COUNTY OF Nevada } ss.

Hi. Shearer, being duly sworn, deposes and says that there is now in said county, in the ~~city or town of~~ township of Nevada, a person named Antone Rondoni, who is insane, and is so far disordered in mind as to endanger his ~~or her~~ health and person, or to endanger or cause the destruction of the property of himself ~~or herself~~, or of others, or to endanger the lives of other persons, and that he, at Nevada Township in said county, on the thirteenth day of November, 1902., ~~threatened and attempted (state actions, etc.)~~ and for many days theretofore has acted in a strange and unnatural ~~matter~~ manner. He has gone through the streets shouting and yelling, and cursing and swearing in such a manner as to intimidate people of Nevada City, all without apparent reason. In other ways he has acted in an insane manner

That, by reason of said insanity, said person is dangerous to be at large.

WHEREFORE, affiant prays that such action may be had as the law requires in the cases of persons who are so far disordered in mind as to endanger health, person, and property.

Hi Shearer

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 14th day of November, 1902.

F. J. Nilon
Judge of the Superior Court.

Order of Arrest.

In the Superior Court, County of Nevada, State of California.

IN THE MATTER OF

Antone Rondoni

AN ALLEGED INSANE PERSON.

The People of the State of California, to any Sheriff, Constable, Marshal, Policeman, or Peace Officer in this State:

The affidavit of Hi Shearer, having been presented this day to me, F. J. Nilon, Judge of the Superior Court in and for the _____, County of Nevada, State of California, from which it appears that there is now in this county, at Nevada Township, a person by the name of Antone Rondoni, who is insane, and who is so disordered in mind as to endanger his own health, person, and property (or the person, lives, and property of others), and that it is dangerous for said person to be at large;

And it satisfactorily appearing to me that said Antone Rondoni is insane, and so far disordered in his mind as to endanger health, person, and property.

NOW, THEREFORE, you are commanded forthwith to arrest the above named person, and take him before a Judge of the Superior Court of the said County of Nevada, for an examination on said charge of insanity;

And I hereby direct that a copy of this warrant, together with a copy of said affidavit, be delivered to said Antone Rondoni at the time of his arrest; and I further direct that this warrant may be served at any hour of the night.

WITNESS my hand, this 14th day of November, 1902.

F. J. Nilon
Judge of the Superior Court.

I hereby certify that I received the above warrant of arrest on the 14th day of November, 1902., and served the said warrant by arresting the said Antone Rondoni, alleged to be insane, and bringing him before F. T. Nilon, Judge of the Superior Court of said County of Nevada, on the 15th day of November, 1902; and I further certify that I delivered a copy of said warrant of arrest, together with a copy of the affidavit of insanity, as directed in said warrant, personally to said Antone Rondoni, at the time of the arrest.

D. B. Gotchell Sheriff Nevada Co

Order Fixing Time for Hearing.

In the Superior Court, County of Nevada, State of California.

In the Matter of the Alleged Insanity of

Antone Rondoni

The above named Antone Rondoni, having been brought before me under a warrant of arrest, charged with being insane, it is hereby ordered that said Antone Rondoni appear before me on the 17th day of November, 1902., at two o'clock, P.M., for an examination and hearing on said charge, and that he be committed to the custody of the Sheriff of said County of Nevada

until said examination and hearing is had.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be personally served on said Antone Rondoni before said examination and hearing.

Dated this 15th day of November, 1902

F. T. Nilon
Judge of the Superior Court.

State of California,
COUNTY OF Nevada } ss.

I hereby certify that I received the within order for hearing on the 15th day of November, 1902. and served the same on Antone Rondoni, the alleged insane person named therein, at Nevada City, County of Nevada, State of California, on the 15th day of November, 1902., by delivering to said, Antone Rondoni personally, a copy of said order for hearing. And I further certify that said alleged insane person is now in the care and custody of myself.

Dated November 17th, 1902.

D. B. Gotchell Sheriff Nevada Co

Exhibit "A."

Medical examination of Antone Rondoni, *charged with insanity. Must be filled out by two reputable physicians, graduates in medicine, who should answer every question as fully as possible.*

State of California,
COUNTY OF Nevada } ss.

Statement of Facts.

1. Name, Antone Rondoni alleged insane person, resides at Nevada City County of Nevada; Age, 55 years; Nativity, Italy; If foreign born, how long in United States, 30 yrs; How long in California, 30 yrs; Sex, male; Place from which he came to this State, North of Italy; Color, white; Occupation, Laborer Religious belief, Catholic; Education—illiterate, ~~reads only,~~ ~~common school,~~ academic, collegiate, ~~or unknown~~. (*Strike out words not required.*) Civil condition—single, ~~married~~, ~~widowed~~, ~~divorced~~. (*Strike out words not required.*) If female and married, give maiden name, —; Give maiden name of mother, —; Number of children: Living, —; Dead, —

2. Has either parent been addicted to the use of opium, cocaine, tobacco, or alcoholic beverages to excess, or other stimulating narcotics? no.

3. Have any relatives been eccentric or peculiar in any way in their habits or pursuits? Yes. If so, how? Italians who know his family say they are eccentric.

Have any relatives, direct or collateral, suffered, or are they suffering, from any form of chronic disease, such as consumption or tuberculosis, syphilis, rheumatism, neuralgia, hysteria, or nervousness, or had epilepsy or falling sickness? Do not know

4. Which parent does alleged insane person resemble mentally, Father Physically Father. Habits (cleanly or uncleanly), uncleanly

(*a*) What degree of intelligence does he possess in comparison with other members of the family? Same

(*b*) Has alleged insane person normally any eccentricity or peculiarity in manner, speech or action? Always eccentric

(*c*) Has alleged insane person ever been addicted to masturbation or sexual excesses? Do not know. If so, for how long? —

(*d*) Has alleged insane person ever had convulsions? Do not know If so, when did he have the first one? —. When the last one? —

(*e*) Had alleged insane person any severe disease, accompanied by prolonged high temperature or convulsions, during the first two years of life, or afterwards? Do not know

(*f*) State alleged insane person's habits as to use of liquor, tobacco, opium, or other drugs, and whether excessive or moderate? Tobacco & liquor to excess

(*g*) What is alleged insane person's natural disposition or temperament, and mental capacity? Quiet

5. Has alleged insane person insane relatives? One Aunt & Brother. If so, state the degree of consanguinity and whether paternal or maternal, —

6. Has alleged insane person any peculiarities of temper or disposition, making him different from other members of the family? No.

7. What is alleged insane person's general physical condition? Good.

8. Specify any disease of which alleged insane person has suffered, or does suffer, or any injury received, Do not know of any

9. Has alleged insane person ever been an inmate of an institution for the insane? No. If so, state when, —

Where, —. How long an inmate, —

Whether discharged recovered, or otherwise, —

(*a*) Number of previous attacks, —

(*b*) Dates of previous attacks, —

(*c*) Length of time each previous attack lasted, —

10. Present attack began, 4 wks ago.

(*a*) Was the present attack gradual or rapid in its onset? Gradual.

(*b*) When was any change in his habits, conversation, or mode of living first noticed? 4 wks ago

(*c*) Give progress of development of the disease from the date of first manifestation to present time Gradually increasing

11. Is alleged insane person noisy, restless, violent, dangerous, destructive, incendiary, excited or depressed, homicidal or suicidal? (If either homicide or suicide has been attempted or threatened, it should be so stated.) Noisy, restless, inclined to be violent, dangerous, excited.

12. Age when menses appeared, —

(*a*) Amount and character before insanity appeared, —

(*b*) Since insanity appeared, —

(*c*) Has menstruation been painful? —. Is it now painful? —

13. Has the change of life taken place? —

(*a*) Was it gradual or sudden? —

(*b*) Give symptoms, —

(*c*) How changed from normal, —

14. Memory, Good.

(*a*) Sleep, Poor.

(*b*) Headache or neuralgia, No.

(*c*) Constipation or indigestion, No

15. What is the supposed cause of insanity?—Predisposing, Heredity

Exciting, Excessive use of unfermented wine + self abuse.

Facts indicating insanity, personally observed by me, as follows: The alleged insane person said (state what the alleged insane person said, if anything, in presence of the examiners): Imagines he has been injured + notes that somebody interferes with him.

The alleged insane person (state what the alleged insane person did in presence of the examiners, and also describe his or her appearance and manner) Talks incoherently, excited, appearance of insane person.

Other facts indicating insanity, including those communicated to me by others, as follows: (State what, if any, significant change there has been in the alleged insane person's disposition, mental condition, business or social habits, or bodily health) —

Excited, noisy, chases children, threaten violence, Imagines everybody is bothering him.

Illusions, None

Hallucinations (whether of sight, hearing, taste, or smell), None

Delusions (character of; are they fixed or changeable), Fixed

What treatment has been pursued (state remedies given, and whether given hypodermically or not), —

Sedatives

Whether patient has been restrained by muff, belt or otherwise, No.

DIAGNOSIS, Dementia

Name and address of correspondent, J Fuetoni Nevada City Calif.

Telegraphic address, Nevada City Calif. J Fuetoni

Relationship of correspondent to alleged insane person, Friend

That the facts stated and information contained in this exhibit are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Dated Nevada City Nov 25th, 190 2.

C. L. Mueller, M. D.

N. N. Nichols, M. D.

Physician's Certificate of Insanity.

In the Superior Court, State of California, in and for the County of Nevada

C. L. Muller M.D. A. H. Tickell, and

A.H. Tickell M.D., being duly sworn, depose and say, and certify, each for himself, and not one for the other, that he is a graduate in medicine; that at the request and in the presence of the Hon. J. T. Nilon Judge of the Superior Court in and for the State of California, County of Nevada, he has heard the testimony, and carefully and personally examined the said Antone Rondoni, in reference to the charge of insanity, in the manner and with the results set forth in the medical examination hereto annexed and marked Exhibit "A", and made a part hereof; and finds that said Antone Rondoni is insane, and is so far disordered in his mind as to endanger health, life, person, or property, and that the condition of said Antone Rondoni is such as to require care and treatment in a hospital or asylum for the care, custody, and treatment of the insane; that said testimony was taken in the presence of said insane person; that the insanity of said Antone Rondoni is not a case of idiocy, imbecility, simple feebleness of mind, a case of acute mania a potu, of harmless chronic mental unsoundness, or of epilepsy.

We recommend that said Antone Rondoni be confined in a hospital or asylum for the care, custody, and treatment of the insane.

C. L. Muller, M. D.

A. H. Tickell, M. D.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 27th day of November, 1902

Judgment of Insanity and Commitment of Insane Person.

In the Superior Court, State of California, in and for the County of Nevada

IN THE MATTER
—OF—
Antone Rondoni
AN ALLEGED INSANE PERSON.

Antone Rondoni, the person named in the foregoing affidavit, being this day brought before me, Judge of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada for a hearing and examination on a charge of insanity as set forth in the said affidavit or complaint, and a warrant of arrest and notice of said charge of insanity having been duly, regularly, and personally served on him, the said Antone Rondoni, and said Antone Rondoni having been acquainted by me with the nature of said charge, and of his right to a hearing on said charge, and of his right to have witnesses subpœnaed to appear and testify on his behalf, and of his right to be represented by counsel, and either in person or by attorney to examine or cross-examine witnesses at said hearing, and of his right to demand a trial by jury on said charge, and notice of the time and place of said hearing having been duly given to said Antone Rondoni, and said Antone Rondoni having been present at said hearing, held in open Court, no jury having been demanded by said Antone Rondoni, or on his behalf by any person (~~and before a jury demanded by or on behalf of said ——— ——— ——— ——— ———~~, ~~and duly impaneled and sworn to try said ——— ——— ——— ——— ——— on said charge of insanity~~), and Hiram Shearer, Mc David Holland George D. Davey, Daniel McCauley

having been duly sworn and testified as witnesses at said hearing, ~~including~~ all of which witnesses ~~who~~ have been acquainted with said Antone Rondoni during the time of his alleged insanity, and the physicians whose certificate that said Antone Rondoni is insane is hereto attached and marked Exhibit "A," and said testimony of the witnesses having been taken in the presence of said Antone Rondoni and of the examing physicians whose certificate that said Antone Rondoni is insane is hereto attached (~~and said jury having found said ——— ——— ——— ——— ——— ——— ——— to be insane~~), and being further satisfied of the truth of all the matters set forth in said physicians' certificate, and that Antone Rondoni is insane, and that it is dangerous to life, health, person, and property for said Antone Rondoni to be at large, and that the condition of said person is such as to require care and treatment in a hospital or institution for the care, custody, and treatment of the insane,

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED, that said Antone Rondoni is insane, and that he be committed to and confined in the Stockton State Hospital, or Asylum, for the insane, at Stockton, Cal.

I hereby direct that D. B. Getchell, Sheriff of the County of Nevada, take and convey said Antone Rondoni to the State Hospital or Asylum at Stockton, Cal., to be held and confined therein as an insane person.

And I certify that ~~the sum of~~ no money ~~Dollars~~ was found on the person of said patient at the time of his arrest, which the said Sheriff is ordered to deliver to the Medical Superintendent of said institution.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said Superior Court this 28th day of November, 1902.

F. T. Nilon
Judge of the Superior Court.

ATTEST:

Clerk of the Superior Court.

By

State of Financial Ability.

As to the ability of said Antone Rondoni to pay for his care and support at the hospital, I find on diligent inquiry that said Antone Rondoni is possessed of no real estate ~~of the estimated value of~~ or personal property in Nevada County, California. ~~situate in~~ ~~and of the following description~~:

~~also the following described personal property~~:

~~That the income of said property is as follows~~:

That said Antone Rondoni is not able to pay ~~the sum of~~ anything per month for his care and support at the Stockton State Hospital.

Name and address of guardian residing None.

Or—

That said Antone Rondoni has *relatives as follows:

Do not know of any.

~~residing~~ at

~~residing~~ at

~~residing~~ at

~~That said relatives are financially able to pay for the care and support of~~ said ~~at the hospital the sum of~~ ~~per month~~.

Dated November 28, 1902.

F. T. Nilon
Judge of Superior Court.

* NOTE—Article III Section 6th, California Insanity Law, approved March 31, 1897: Liability for the care, support and treatment of the insane other than the poor and indigent; The father, mother, husband, wife or children of an insane person, if of sufficient ability, and the guardian of his person and estate, if his estate is sufficient for the purpose, shall cause him to be properly and suitably cared for and maintained.

In the Superior Court

Of ~~~~~~~~~~ County of Nevada

State of California.

Affidavit of Insanity.

In the Matter of Mrs Johanna Driscoll, an Alleged Insane Person.

State of California,
COUNTY OF Nevada } ss.

E. J. Rector, being duly sworn, deposes and says that there is now in said county, in the city ~~or town~~ of Nevada, a person named Mrs Johanna Driscoll, who is insane, and is so far disordered in mind as to endanger ~~his or~~ her health and person, or to endanger or cause the destruction of the property of ~~himself or~~ herself, or of others, or to endanger the lives of other persons, and that ~~s~~he, at Nevada City in said county, on or about the fifth day of July 1902., ~~threatened and attempted (state actions, etc.)~~ and ever since has talked and acted in an irrational manner. She lives at the National Exchange Hotel, and has persistently refused to come to her meals, but requires the same to be brought to her rooms. For months she has refused to leave her room. A guardian has had to be appointed for her in this court. She has refused to protect her property rights, and is incompetent to manage her affairs. Twice she has offered violence to the waiters who brought meals to her room.

That, by reason of said insanity, said person is dangerous to be at large.

WHEREFORE, affiant prays that such action may be had as the law requires in the cases of persons who are so far disordered in mind as to endanger health, person, and property.

E J Rector

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 17th day of January, 1903.

F. T. Nilon,
Judge of the Superior Court.

Seal

Order of Arrest.

In the Superior Court, County of Nevada, State of California.

IN THE MATTER OF

Mrs Johanna Driscoll
AN ALLEGED INSANE PERSON.

The People of the State of California, to any Sheriff, Constable, Marshal, Policeman, or Peace Officer in this State:

The affidavit of E. J. Rector, having been presented this day to me, F. T. Nilon, Judge of the Superior Court in and for the ~~~~~~~~~~

I hereby certify that I received the above warrant of arrest on the 17th day of January, 1903, and served the said warrant by arresting the said Mrs Johanna Driscoll, alleged to be insane, and bringing her before F T Nilon, Judge of the Superior Court of said County of Nevada, on the 20th day of January, 1903; and I further certify that I delivered a copy of said warrant of arrest, together with a copy of the affidavit of insanity, as directed in said warrant, personally to said Mrs Johanna Driscoll, at the time of the arrest.

H R Walker
Sheriff of Nevada County
By Thos H Waters Deputy

Order Fixing Time for Hearing.

In the Superior Court, County of Nevada, State of California.

In the Matter of the Alleged Insanity of

Mrs Johanna Driscoll

The above named Mrs Johanna Driscoll, having been brought before me under a warrant of arrest, charged with being insane, it is hereby ordered that said Mrs Johanna Driscoll appear before me on the 21st day of Jany, 1903., at 3 o'clock, P.M., for an examination and hearing on said charge, and that She be committed to the custody of the Sheriff of said Nevada County,

until said examination and hearing is had.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be personally served on said Mrs Johanna Driscoll before said examination and hearing.

Dated this 21st day of Jany, 1903

F. T. Nilon
Judge of the Superior Court.

State of California,
COUNTY OF Nevada } ss.

I hereby certify that I received the within order for hearing on the 21st day of January, 1903 and served the same on Mrs Johanna Driscoll, the alleged insane person named therein, at Nvada City, County of Nevada, State of California, on the 21st day of Jany, 1903., by delivering to said, Mrs Johanna Driscoll personally, a copy of said order for hearing. And I further certify that said alleged insane person is now in the care and custody of my self

Dated Jany 21st, 1903

H R Walker Sheriff, Nvada Co
By T H Waters, Deputy

Exhibit "A."

Medical examination of Mrs Johanna Driscoll, *charged with insanity. Must be filled out by two reputable physicians, graduates in medicine, who should answer every question as fully as possible.*

State of California,
COUNTY OF Nevada } ss.

Statement of Facts.

1. Name, Johanna Driscoll alleged insane person, resides at Nevada City County of Nevada; Age, About 72 years; Nativity, Ireland; If foreign born, how long in United States, 54 yrs; How long in California, 36 yrs; Sex, Female; Place from which she came to this State, ~~Massachusetts~~; Color, White; Occupation, Housekeeper Religious belief, Catholic; Education—~~illiterate~~, reads only, ~~common school~~, ~~academic,~~ ~~collegiate, or unknown~~. (*Strike out words not required.*) Civil condition—~~single,~~ ~~married~~, widowed, ~~divorced.~~ (*Strike out words not required.*) If female and married, give maiden name, Johanna Fitzgerald; Give maiden name of mother, Honora Ryan; Number of children: Living, None; Dead, none

2. Has either parent been addicted to the use of opium, cocaine, tobacco, or alcoholic beverages to excess, or other stimulating narcotics? No.

3. Have any relatives been eccentric or peculiar in any way in their habits or pursuits? Do not know If so, how? —

Have any relatives, direct or collateral, suffered, or are they suffering, from any form of chronic disease, such as consumption or tuberculosis, syphilis, rheumatism, neuralgia, hysteria, or nervousness, or had epilepsy or falling sickness? No

4. Which parent does alleged insane person resemble mentally, Mother Physically Mother. Habits (cleanly or uncleanly), Cleanly

(*a*) What degree of intelligence does she possess in comparison with other members of the family? Do not know

(*b*) Has alleged insane person normally any eccentricity or peculiarity in manner, speech or action? No.

(*c*) Has alleged insane person ever been addicted to masturbation or sexual excesses? No. If so, for how long? —

(*d*) Has alleged insane person ever had convulsions? No. If so, when did she have the first one? — When the last one? —

(*e*) Had alleged insane person any severe disease, accompanied by prolonged high temperature or convulsions, during the first two years of life, or afterwards? No.

(*f*) State alleged insane person's habits as to use of liquor, tobacco, opium, or other drugs, and whether excessive or moderate? Do not use.

(*g*) What is alleged insane person's natural disposition or temperament, and mental capacity? Good.

5. Has alleged insane person insane relatives? No If so, state the degree of consanguinity and whether paternal or maternal, —

6. Has alleged insane person any peculiarities of temper or disposition, making her different from other members of the family? Do not know

7. What is alleged insane person's general physical condition? Good

8. Specify any disease of which alleged insane person has suffered, or does suffer, or any injury received, None

9. Has alleged insane person ever been an inmate of an institution for the insane? No. If so, state when, — Where, —. How long an inmate, — Whether discharged recovered, or otherwise, —

(*a*) Number of previous attacks, —

(*b*) Dates of previous attacks, —

(*c*) Length of time each previous attack lasted, —

10. Present attack began, About 1½ yrs ago.

(*a*) Was the present attack gradual or rapid in its onset? Gradual

(*b*) When was any change in her habits, conversation, or mode of living first noticed? One year ago.

(*c*) Give progress of development of the disease from the date of first manifestation to present time Gradually increasing.

11. Is alleged insane person noisy, restless, violent, dangerous, destructive, incendiary, excited or depressed, homicidal or suicidal? (If either homicide or suicide has been attempted or threatened, it should be so stated.) Depressed.

12. Age when menses appeared, 18 yrs

(*a*) Amount and character before insanity appeared, Passed menopause

(*b*) Since insanity appeared, None

(*c*) Has menstruation been painful? No. Is it now painful? —

13. Has the change of life taken place? Yes

(*a*) Was it gradual or sudden? Gradual.

(*b*) Give symptoms, —

(*c*) How changed from normal, — —

14. Memory, Good.

(*a*) Sleep, Poorly.

(*b*) Headache or neuralgia, No.

(*c*) Constipation or indigestion, Constipation

15. What is the supposed cause of insanity?—Predisposing, Age.

Exciting, Loss of husband & business cares

Facts indicating insanity, personally observed by me, as follows: The alleged insane person said (state what the alleged insane person said, if anything, in presence of the examiners): That her food was continually poisoned, that threats had been made against her life

The alleged insane person (state what the alleged insane person did in presence of the examiners, and also describe his or her appearance and manner) did nothing

Other facts indicating insanity, including those communicated to me by others, as follows: (State what, if any, significant change there has been in the alleged insane person's disposition, mental condition, business or social habits, or bodily health) Testimony of witnesses

Illusions, None

Hallucinations (whether of sight, hearing, taste, or smell), None

Delusions (character of; are they fixed or changeable), Fixed. That food is poisoned and that life is threatened

What treatment has been pursued (state remedies given, and whether given hypodermically or not), None.

Whether patient has been restrained by muff, belt or otherwise, No.

DIAGNOSIS, Dementia

Name and address of correspondent, John R. Lowden, Redding, Shasta Co. Calif.

Telegraphic address, John R. Lowden Redding Shasta Co. Calif.

Relationship of correspondent to alleged insane person, Guardian

That the facts stated and information contained in this exhibit are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Dated Nevada City Calif. Janry 21st, 1903.

C. L. Muller, M. D.

E. Jamieson, M. D.

A. J. Tisdell M.D.

Physician's Certificate of Insanity.

In the Superior Court, State of California, in and for the County of Nevada

C. L. Muller, E. Jamison and A. H. Tickell, being duly sworn, depose and say, and certify, each for himself, and not one for the other, that he is a graduate in medicine; that at the request and in the presence of the Hon. F. T. Nilon Judge of the Superior Court in and for the State of California, County of Nevada, he has heard the testimony, and carefully and personally examined the said Johanna Driscoll, in reference to the charge of insanity, in the manner and with the results set forth in the medical examination hereto annexed and marked Exhibit "A", and made a part hereof; and finds that said Johanna Driscoll is insane, and is so far disordered in her mind as to endanger health, life, person, or property, and that the condition of said Johanna Driscoll is such as to require care and treatment in a hospital or asylum for the care, custody, and treatment of the insane; that said testimony was taken in the presence of said insane person; that the insanity of said Johanna Driscoll is not a case of idiocy, imbecility, simple feebleness of mind, a case of acute mania a potu, of harmless chronic mental unsoundness, or of epilepsy.

We recommend that said Johanna Driscoll be confined in a hospital or asylum for the care, custody, and treatment of the insane.

C. L. Muller, M. D.

E. Jamison, M. D.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 21st day of January, 1903 A. H. Tickell "

F. L. Arbogast

County Clerk

Judgment of Insanity and Commitment of Insane Person.

In the Superior Court, State of California, in and for the County of Nevada

IN THE MATTER

—OF—

Mrs Johanna Driscoll

AN ALLEGED INSANE PERSON.

Mrs Johanna Driscoll, the person named in the foregoing affidavit, being this day brought before me, Judge of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada for a hearing and examination on a charge of insanity as set forth in the said affidavit or complaint, and a warrant of arrest and notice of said charge of insanity having been duly, regularly, and personally served on her, the said Mrs Johanna Driscoll, and said Mrs Johanna Driscoll having been acquainted by me with the nature of said charge, and of her right to a hearing on said charge, and of her right to have witnesses subpœnaed to appear and testify on her behalf, and of her right to be represented by counsel, and either in person or by attorney to examine or cross-examine witnesses at said hearing, and of her right to demand a trial by jury on said charge, and notice of the time and place of said hearing having been duly given to said Mrs Johanna Driscoll, and said Mrs Johanna Driscoll having been present at said hearing, held in open Court, no jury having been demanded by said Mrs Johanna Driscoll, or on her behalf by any person (~~and before a jury demanded by or on behalf of said — — — — — — — —, and duly impaneled and sworn to try said — — — — on said charge of insanity~~), and B. S. Rector, Mrs Nellie Bathis, I. C. Lindley, Miss Mamie Wanamake,

having been duly sworn and testified as witnesses at said hearing, ~~including~~ all of whom ~~witnesses who~~ have been acquainted with said Mrs Johanna Driscoll during the time of her alleged insanity, and the physicians whose certificate that said Mrs Johanna Driscoll is insane is hereto attached and marked Exhibit "A," and said testimony of the witnesses having been taken in the presence of said Mrs Johanna Driscoll and of the examing physicians whose certificate that said Mrs Johanna Driscoll is insane is hereto attached (~~and said jury having found said — — — — — — — — — to be insane~~), and being further satisfied of the truth of all the matters set forth in said physicians' certificate, and that Mrs Johanna Driscoll is insane, and that it is dangerous to life, health, person, and property for said Mrs Johanna Driscoll to be at large, and that the condition of said person is such as to require care and treatment in a hospital or institution for the care, custody, and treatment of the insane,

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED, that said Mrs Johanna Driscoll is insane, and that she be committed to and confined in the Napa State Hospital, or Asylum, for the insane, at Napa, California.

I hereby direct that Henry R. Walker, Sheriff of the County of Nevada State of California, take and convey said Mrs Johanna Driscoll to the State Hospital or Asylum at Napa, California, to be held and confined therein as an insane person.

And I certify that ~~the sum of~~ no money ~~Dollars~~ was found on the person of said patient at the time of her arrest, which the said Sheriff is ordered to deliver to the Medical Superintendent of said institution.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said Superior Court this 22nd day of January, 1903.

F. J. Nilon
Judge of the Superior Court.

ATTEST:

F. L. Arbogast
Clerk of the Superior Court.

By .....

State of Financial Ability.

As to the ability of said Mrs Johanna Driscoll to pay for her care and support at the hospital, I find on diligent inquiry that said Mrs Johanna Driscoll is possessed of real estate of the estimated value of $2500.00 situate in Nevada County, California, and of the following description: A parcel of mining property situated near Columbia Hill the value of which is prospective; an Equity of redemption in certain mining property situated near You Bet, which has been sold at Sheriff's sale ~~also the following described personal property:~~ upon a judgment recovered in this court, which equity of redemption will expire within a short time

That the income of said property is as follows: Nothing, so far as learned.

That said Mrs Johanna Driscoll is able to pay the sum of $15.00 per month for her care and support at the Napa State Hospital for a short time.
Name and address of guardian residing at Redding, Shasta County, California:

John R. Lowden.

~~Or~~

~~That said~~ ..... ~~has *relatives as follows~~:

~~residing at~~ .....

~~residing at~~ .....

~~residing at~~ .....

~~That said relatives are financially able to pay for the care and support of said at the hospital the sum of ..... per month.~~

Dated January 22nd, 1903.

F. J. Nilon
Judge of Superior Court.

*NOTE—Article III Section 6th, California Insanity Law, approved March 31, 1897: Liability for the care, support and treatment of the insane other than the poor and indigent; The father, mother, husband, wife or children of an insane person, if of sufficient ability, and the guardian of his person and estate, if his estate is sufficient for the purpose, shall cause him to be properly and suitably cared for and maintained.

In the Superior Court
Of - - - - - - - - - - County of Nevada
State of California.

Affidavit of Insanity.

In the Matter of Carl Hasler, an Alleged Insane Person.

State of California,
COUNTY OF Nevada } ss.

William McDougald, being duly sworn, deposes and says that there is now in said county, in the city ~~or town of~~ Nevada, County of Nevada, a person named Carl Hasler, who is insane, and is so far disordered in mind as to endanger his ~~or her~~ health and person, or to endanger or cause the destruction of the property of himself ~~or herself~~, or of others, or to endanger the lives of other persons, and that he, at Truckee, in said County ~~in said county~~, on the 19th day of March 1903., ~~threatened and attempted (state actions, etc.)~~ and ever since has talked and acted in an irrational manner. He imagines he is engaged to a young lady to whom he is not, and continually annoys her by visits and letters. He has attempted to break into her house.

That, by reason of said insanity, said person is dangerous to be at large.

WHEREFORE, affiant prays that such action may be had as the law requires in the cases of persons who are so far disordered in mind as to endanger health, person, and property.

Jom McDougald

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 25th day of March 1903.

F. J. Nilon
Judge of the Superior Court.

Order of Arrest.

In the Superior Court, County of Nevada, State of California.

IN THE MATTER OF

Carl Hasler
AN ALLEGED INSANE PERSON.

The People of the State of California, to any Sheriff, Constable, Marshal, Policeman, or Peace Officer in this State:

The affidavit of William McDougald, having been presented this day to me, F. J. Nilon, Judge of the Superior Court in and for the, County of Nevada State of California, from which it appears that there is now in this county, at Nevada City, a person by the name of Carl Hasler, who is insane, and who is so disordered in mind as to endanger his own health, person, and property (or the person, lives, and property of others), and that it is dangerous for said person to be at large;

And it satisfactorily appearing to me that said Carl Hasler is insane, and so far disordered in his mind as to endanger health, person, and property.

NOW, THEREFORE, you are commanded forthwith to arrest the above named person, and take him before a Judge of the Superior Court of the said County of Nevada, for an examination on said charge of insanity;

And I hereby direct that a copy of this warrant, together with a copy of said affidavit, be delivered to said Carl Hasler at the time of his arrest; and I further direct that this warrant may be served at any hour of the night.

WITNESS my hand, this 25th day of March, 1903.

F. J. Nilon
Judge of the Superior Court.

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I hereby certify that I received the above warrant of arrest on the 25th day of March, 190.3, and served the said warrant by arresting the said Carl Hasler, alleged to be insane, and bringing him before F J Nilon, Judge of the Superior Court of said County of Nevada, on the 25th day of March, 190.3; and I further certify that I delivered a copy of said warrant of arrest, together with a copy of the affidavit of insanity, as directed in said warrant, personally to said Carl Hasler, at the time of the arrest.

H R Walker Sheriff
Nevada County California

Order Fixing Time for Hearing.

In the Superior Court, County of Nevada, State of California.

In the Matter of the Alleged Insanity of
Carl Hasler

The above named Carl Hasler, having been brought before me under a warrant of arrest, charged with being insane, it is hereby ordered that said Carl Hasler appear before me on the ~~24th 25th~~ 26th day of March, 190.3., at 9 o'clock, A.M., for an examination and hearing on said charge, and that he be committed to the custody of the Sheriff of said Nevada County,

until said examination and hearing is had.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be personally served on said Carl Hasler before said examination and hearing.

Dated this 25th day of March, 190.3.

F. J. Nilon.
Judge of the Superior Court.

State of California,
COUNTY OF Nevada } ss.

I hereby certify that I received the within order for hearing on the 25th day of March, 190.3 and served the same on Carl Hasler, the alleged insane person named therein, at Nevada City, County of Nevada, State of California, on the 25th day of March, 190.3, by delivering to said, Carl Hasler personally, a copy of said order for hearing. And I further certify that said alleged insane person is now in the care and custody of The Sheriff of Nevada County

Dated March 25, 190.3

H R Walker Sheriff
Nevada County. California.

Exhibit "A."

Medical examination of Carl Hasler, *charged with insanity. Must be filled out by two reputable physicians, graduates in medicine, who should answer every question as fully as possible.*

State of California,
COUNTY OF Nevada } ss.

Statement of Facts.

1. Name, Carl Hasler alleged insane person, resides at Truckee County of Nevada; Age, 36 years; Nativity, Switzerland; If foreign born, how long in United States, 12 yrs; How long in California, 5 yrs; Sex, male; Place from which he came to this State, Brazil; Color, White; Occupation, Carpenter Religious belief, Catholic; Education—~~illiterate,~~ ~~reads only,~~ common school, ~~academic~~, ~~collegiate,~~ ~~or unknown.~~ (*Strike out words not required.*) Civil condition—single, ~~married~~, ~~widowed~~, ~~divorced.~~ (*Strike out words not required.*) If female and married, give maiden name, —; Give maiden name of mother, ; Number of children: Living, —; Dead, —

2. Has either parent been addicted to the use of opium, cocaine, tobacco, or alcoholic beverages to excess, or other stimulating narcotics? Do not know

3. Have any relatives been eccentric or peculiar in any way in their habits or pursuits? Dnt know If so, how? —

Have any relatives, direct or collateral, suffered, or are they suffering, from any form of chronic disease, such as consumption or tuberculosis, syphilis, rheumatism, neuralgia, hysteria, or nervousness, or had epilepsy or falling sickness? No.

4. Which parent does alleged insane person resemble mentally, Do not know Physically Do not know. Habits (cleanly or uncleanly), Cleanly

(*a*) What degree of intelligence does he possess in comparison with other members of the family? Do not know

(*b*) Has alleged insane person normally any eccentricity or peculiarity in manner, speech or action? Do not know

(*c*) Has alleged insane person ever been addicted to masturbation or sexual excesses? Yes. If so, for how long? Do not know

(*d*) Has alleged insane person ever had convulsions? Do not know If so, when did he have the first one? —. When the last one? —

(*e*) Had alleged insane person any severe disease, accompanied by prolonged high temperature or convulsions, during the first two years of life, or afterwards? Do not know

(*f*) State alleged insane person's habits as to use of liquor, tobacco, ~~opium,~~ or other ~~drugs,~~ and whether excessive or moderate? Excessive at times

(*g*) What is alleged insane person's natural disposition or temperament, and mental capacity? Good

5. Has alleged insane person insane relatives? No If so, state the degree of consanguinity and whether paternal or maternal, —

6. Has alleged insane person any peculiarities of temper or disposition, making him different from other members of the family? Do not know

7. What is alleged insane person's general physical condition? Good.

8. Specify any disease of which alleged insane person has suffered, or does suffer, or any injury received, Syphilis 12 yrs ago.

9. Has alleged insane person ever been an inmate of an institution for the insane? Do not know If so, state when, —

Where, —. How long an inmate, —

Whether discharged recovered, or otherwise, —

(*a*) Number of previous attacks, —

(*b*) Dates of previous attacks, —

(*c*) Length of time each previous attack lasted, —

10. Present attack began, 1 yr ago.

(*a*) Was the present attack gradual or rapid in its onset? Gradual

(*b*) When was any change in his habits, conversation, or mode of living first noticed? 1 yr ago.

(*c*) Give progress of development of the disease from the date of first manifestation to present time increasing.

11. Is alleged insane person noisy, restless, violent, dangerous, destructive, incendiary, excited or depressed, homicidal or suicidal? (If either homicide or suicide has been attempted or threatened, it should be so stated.)

Restless at times, violent at times, dangerous, depressed at times

12. Age when menses appeared, —

(*a*) Amount and character before insanity appeared, —

(*b*) Since insanity appeared, —

(*c*) Has menstruation been painful? —. Is it now painful? —

13. Has the change of life taken place? —

(*a*) Was it gradual or sudden? —

(*b*) Give symptoms, —

(c) How changed from normal, —

14. Memory, Good

(a) Sleep, Dreams.

(b) Headache or neuralgia, no.

(c) Constipation or indigestion, no.

15. What is the supposed cause of insanity?—Predisposing, Syphilis + Masturbation

Exciting, Masturbation

Facts indicating insanity, personally observed by me, as follows: The alleged insane person said (state what the alleged insane person said, if anything, in presence of the examiners).: Long rambling statements covering 3 or 4 years. Claimes girl loves him + visits him at night. also that others visit him.

The alleged insane person (state what the alleged insane person did in presence of the examiners, and also describe his or her appearance and manner) Insane. Talks + acts as as excited

Other facts indicating insanity, including those communicated to me by others, as follows: (State what, if any, significant change there has been in the alleged insane person's disposition, mental condition, business or social habits, or bodily health)

Testimony of witnesses, personal observation.

Illusions, none

Hallucinations (whether of sight, hearing, taste, or smell), None

Delusions (character of; are they fixed or changeable),

That he receives visits at night from a girl he loves, also from Jesus, + Virgin Mary, also others + That the girl is being cruelly treated. Talks to spirits

What treatment has been pursued (state remedies given, and whether given hypodermically or not), None

Whether patient has been restrained by muff, belt or otherwise, No

DIAGNOSIS, Monomania

Name and address of correspondent, C. F. McGlashan Truckee. Calif

Telegraphic address, Truckee Calif

Relationship of correspondent to alleged insane person, Friend

That the facts stated and information contained in this exhibit are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Dated Nevada City March 26th, 1903

A. K. Tuckee, M. D.

C. L. Muller, M. D.

Physician's Certificate of Insanity.

In the Superior Court, State of California, in and for the County of Nevada

A. H. Tickell, and

C. L. Muller, being duly sworn, depose and say, and certify, each for himself, and not one for the other, that he is a graduate in medicine; that at the request and in the presence of the Hon. F. T. Wilson Judge of the Superior Court in and for the State of California, County of Nevada, he has heard the testimony, and carefully and personally examined the said Carl Hasler, in reference to the charge of insanity, in the manner and with the results set forth in the medical examination hereto annexed and marked Exhibit "A", and made a part hereof; and finds that said Carl Hasler is insane, and is so far disordered in h... mind as to endanger health, life, person, or property, and that the condition of said Carl Hasler is such as to require care and treatment in a hospital or asylum for the care, custody, and treatment of the insane; that said testimony was taken in the presence of said insane person; that the insanity of said Carl Hasler is not a case of idiocy, imbecility, simple feebleness of mind, a case of acute mania a potu, of harmless chronic mental unsoundness, or of epilepsy.

We recommend that said Carl Hasler be confined in a hospital or asylum for the care, custody, and treatment of the insane.

A. H. Tickell, M. D.

C. L. Muller, M. D.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 26th day of March, 1903

F. L. Arbogast

County Clerk

Nevada Co. Cal.

Judgment of Insanity and Commitment of Insane Person.

In the Superior Court, State of California, in and for the County of Nevada

IN THE MATTER
—OF—
Carl Hasler
AN ALLEGED INSANE PERSON.

Carl Hasler, the person named in the foregoing affidavit, being this day brought before me, Judge of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada for a hearing and examination on a charge of insanity as set forth in the said affidavit or complaint, and a warrant of arrest and notice of said charge of insanity having been duly, regularly, and personally served on h~~is~~m, the said Carl Hasler, and said Carl Hasler having been acquainted by me with the nature of said charge, and of h~~is~~ right to a hearing on said charge, and of h~~is~~ right to have witnesses subpœnaed to appear and testify on h~~is~~ behalf, and of h~~is~~ right to be represented by counsel, and either in person or by attorney to examine or cross-examine witnesses at said hearing, and of h~~is~~ right to demand a trial by jury on said charge, and notice of the time and place of said hearing having been duly given to said Carl Hasler, and said Carl Hasler having been present at said hearing, held in open Court, no jury having been demanded by said Carl Hasler, or on h~~is~~ behalf by any person (~~and before a jury demanded by or on behalf of said — — — — — — — — —~~, ~~and duly impaneled and sworn to try said — — — — — — — — — on said charge of insanity), and~~ and C. F. McGlashan and William McDougald

having been duly sworn and testified as witnesses at said hearing, ~~including~~ both of whom ~~witnesses~~ who have been acquainted with said Carl Hasler during the time of h~~is~~ alleged insanity, and the physicians whose certificate that said Carl Hasler is insane is hereto attached and marked Exhibit "A," and said testimony of the witnesses having been taken in the presence of said Carl Hasler and of the examing physicians whose certificate that said Carl Hasler is insane is hereto attached (~~and said jury having found said — — — — — — — — — to be insane~~), and being further satisfied of the truth of all the matters set forth in said physicians' certificate, and that Carl Hasler is insane, and that it is dangerous to life, health, person, and property for said Carl Hasler to be at large, and that the condition of said person is such as to require care and treatment in a hospital or institution for the care, custody, and treatment of the insane,

and the said Carl Hasler having given a statement on his own behalf,

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED, that said Carl Hasler is insane, and that he be committed to and confined in the Stockton State Hospital, or Asylum, for the insane, at Stockton, California.

I hereby direct that Henry R. Walker, Sheriff of the County of Nevada, take and convey said Carl Hasler to the State Hospital or Asylum at Stockton, Cal., to be held and confined therein as an insane person.

And I certify that the sum of $1.00 ~~Dollars~~ was found on the person of said patient at the time of his arrest, which the said Sheriff is ordered to deliver to the Medical Superintendent of said institution.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said Superior Court this 26th day of March, 1903.

F. J. Nilon
Judge of the Superior Court.

ATTEST:

T. L. Arbogast
Clerk of the ~~Superior~~ Court.

By .....

State of Financial Ability.

As to the ability of said Carl Hasler to pay for his care and support at the hospital, I find on diligent inquiry that said Carl Hasler is possessed of no real ~~estate of the estimated value of~~ or personal estate ~~except as above stated.~~ situate in

~~and of the following description~~:

~~also the following described personal property~~:

~~That the income of said property is as follows~~:

That said Carl Hasler is not able to pay ~~the~~ any sum of money per month for his care and support at the Stockton State Hospital (

Name and address of guardian ~~residing~~ None. And no relatives that I have learned.

~~Or—~~

~~That said has *relatives as follows~~:

~~residing at~~

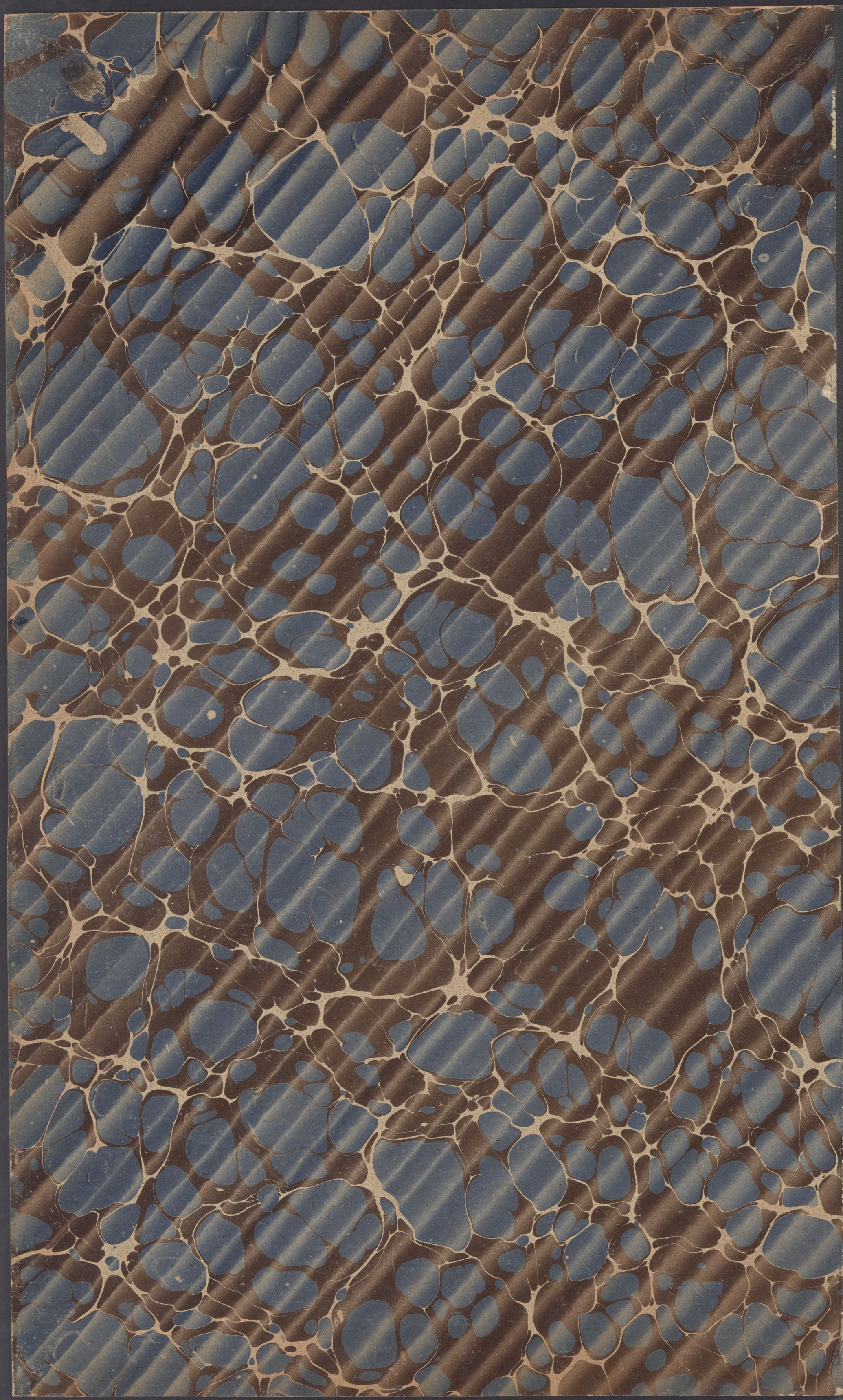
~~residing at~~

~~residing at~~

~~That said relatives are financially able to pay for the care and support of said at the hospital the sum of per month~~.

Dated March 26th, 1903.

F. J. Nilon
Judge of Superior Court.

*NOTE—Article III Section 6th, California Insanity Law, approved March 31, 1897: Liability for the care, support and treatment of the insane other than the poor and indigent; The father, mother, husband, wife or children of an insane person, if of sufficient ability, and the guardian of his person and estate, if his estate is sufficient for the purpose, shall cause him to be properly and suitably cared for and maintained.

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